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Colonial and Revolutionary Homes in South Carolina

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It is but natural that anyone writing of things historical in South Carolina should begin in that most historic old city, Charleston, the "City by the Sea." Among the historic homes in Charleston stands a quaint old house facing South Battery, known as the William Washington House. Tradition tells us that from the steps of this home colors were presented by Martha Washington to the historic old "Washington Light Infantry" who were lined up in front of the house. Another of the Charleston homes is the Cringle house, owned during the Revolution by Mrs. Motte. This house was used as headquarters by Sir Henry Clinton, and afterward occupied by successive commanders during the remainder of the war. Here it was that General Moultrie was received by Clinton, in the drawing-room upstairs and here Lord Rawdon thanked Mrs. Motte for her "hospitality."

In this historic old city, on the corner of Tradd and Orange Streets, there is still another Revolutionary

home, once the scene of gay dinner parties. It is related that on one of these notable occasions General Marion, a man of sober abstemious habits, not wishing to join the jovial guests in the banquet hall, undertook to escape by lowering himself from a window, thereby receiving a fall which resulted in a broken leg. The accident, however, proved to be a blessing in disguise, for, instead of remaining in Charleston when the siege was about to begin, he was sent down to St. John's to be cured, thus escaping the clutches of the enemy who took the city.

In 1791 President George Washington visited Charleston. The house prepared for this honored guest is still standing in Church Street, marked by a bronze tablet to commemorate the event. This house was, at that time, owned by Thomas Heyward and was rented and handsomely furnished for the occasion.

Up in Lexington County, about two miles from Columbia, is the old Cayce

home. In this bullet-scarred old home it is said that Emily Geiger was imprisoned and it is there that the old tradition says she swallowed the note which she had undertaken to carry from General Greene to General Sumter.

True history records events as they occurred, whether for the glory or for the dishonor of a country and its people, so among the historic homes of

went to England and died in that country "unwept, unhonored and unsung." The old home, "Rosemont," though stripped of its former glories, is still standing and is owned by descendants of the family who built it.

General Andrew Pickens's first home was in Abbeville, where he married Miss Rebecca Calhoun, near old Hopewell Church. After the Revolution General Pickens removed to the



CALHOUN MANSION, CLEMSON COLLEGE, S. C.

South Carolina there is one owned by an aristocratic family but of whom one member was noted for his dark deeds during the Revolution. In Laurens County there is still standing an old colonial mansion, built years before the Revolution, of material brought from England by members of the Cunningham family, who remained loyal to the king, though fifty years later it was gentle Pamela Cunningham, of this same family, who started the movement of making Mt. Vernon a shrine for the nation. In Revolutionary days, though, it was "Bloody Bill," one of that family and name, who went so far in committing massacres and robberies among his Whig neighbors that he even incurred the displeasure of the British officers. After the War he

up-country to a tract of land granted him by Governor Benjamin Guerard. On a bluff overlooking the Keowee (now Seneca) River on the spot where the famous Hopewell-Keowee Treaty was made with the Indians in 1785, General Pickens built a most picturesque home. Remains of the chimneys could still be seen a few years since. Andrew Pickens Chapter, of Clemson College, and Catechee Chapter, of Anderson, have marked the place with a handsome boulder.

On the opposite side of the river from "Hopewell," Colonel Robert Anderson, intimate friend and comrade in arms, built his home, "Westville," where he died in 1814 and is buried nearby.

Moultrie Chapter, of Orangeburg, has patriotically marked the spot

where stood the home of Rebecca Motte in St. Matthew's Parish. We are all familiar with the story of that brave woman who would have sacrificed her home for her country. The mansion, however, remained intact until years after the Revolution, when it was accidentally destroyed by fire. The brick foundation still remains. The town of Fort Motte takes its name from the old home which was used as a fort during the War. Not far from Fort Motte stood "Belleville," the home of Colonel William Thomson. After the fall of Charleston, Governor Rutledge committed his family to the care of Colonel Thompson. British troops however, surrounded the home, took Colonel Thomson and his son prisoners and garrisoned the homes as a fort. Americans later attacked the place and the home bore bullet marks as long as it stood.

An historic house in Orangeburg was the old "Marchant House." During the Revolution this home was used as a court house, subsequently as a jail, then a church for first one denomination and then another, a blacksmith shop, a boarding house and finally as a residence. About fifty years ago it came into the possession of an English family named Marchant and was ever after known as the "Marchant House." In 1779 Governor Rutledge formed the plan of having a grand military camp at Orangeburgh. Being empowered by the General Assembly to do everything necessary for the public good, he came to Orangeburgh and while here made his headquarters at the home of Donald Bruce, a man prominent in affairs of both village and district. In July, 1781, when Lord Rawdon halted for a few days in

Orangeburgh on his return from the relief at Ninety-six, he also made his headquarters at the "Bruce House." The house, which is described by Simms as one of the most pretentious in the village, was many years after the Revolution, when the last of the Bruces had passed away, torn down and moved out on the "Five Notch" road, where it still stands.

About fifteen miles from our own monument at Eutaw Springs, near St. Stephen's, Berkeley County, stands the home of the "Swamp Fox." Marion's home, built after the manner of country houses in that day, a two-story affair, with a wide front porch and very high from the ground, stands surrounded by a grove of moss-covered oaks. This spacious old dwelling at "Belle Isle," was, in Marion's day, the abode of content and cheerful hospitality. Here strangers found a ready welcome and friends and neighbors a wise and sympathetic counsellor to the last.

In old Abbeville District is Fort Hill, built after the Revolution, of course, but it was the home of the most illustrious son of South Carolina, "one of the ablest, truest and most patriotic men this country has ever produced. Being a close reasoner, a clear and profound thinker, a model of sobriety, temperance and morals in every respect, John C. Calhoun had in his day few equals and no superiors in all the elements of real statesmanship." The home of this great man, still beautifully kept and filled with the original furniture, was built like so many dwellings of that time—a large two-story house with many rooms, and an ample front porch, amid a grove of magnificent oaks.

A genealogy of the Kitchel family has been published recently by George C. McCormick, of Fort Collins, Col. Besides giving sketches of John Kitchel and Esther Peck, it gives a complete genealogy of the Kitchel family from the birth of John Kitchel, the emigrant, in 1604, to the present time, and includes the descendants of Joseph and Nancy Allen Kitchel as follows: The Haydens of Indiana; the McDougalls of Long Island; the Hinds of New Jersey; the Kitchels of Iowa; the Hannums of Cincinnati; the Frys of Illinois and Oklahoma; the Norcross of Ohio and California; the Kitchels of Florida, and the Snyders of Pennsylvania. There are also sketches of the Peck family—the Allens of New Jersey, the Bruen, the Ely, the Farrand, the Hyde and the Sheaffe families.

Conservation of Human Life

Mrs. George M. Stenberg

As patriotic Americans we are all deeply interested in questions of the conservation of our natural resources. Let us make every effort to aid in the preservation of our national Forests, the invaluable potentiality of our rivers, as sources of power, and irrigation, and the vast deposits of coal and other minerals, upon which future generations must depend for the maintenance of our industries. While I deeply appreciate the great importance of these aspects of our conservation problem I desire to call your attention to another aspect of conservation which certainly is not less important to our future prosperity as a nation and which should appeal even more strongly to our sympathy and our feelings of patriotism. I refer to the conservation of human lives and especially of the lives of infants. It is well known that the high death rate in many of our cities is largely due to an excessive infant mortality, and it has been demonstrated that this mortality can be greatly reduced by proper sanitary legislation. In England and Wales the death rate for children under one year of age was one hundred and fifty-one per thousand births in 1901, and in 1910 it had been reduced to one hundred and six to one thousand births. It is estimated that the normal death-rate among infants under one year of age should not exceed fifty to eighty per thousand. But in some of the slum areas in the larger cities, on both sides of the Atlantic, it reaches as high as three hundred and fifty to four hundred per thousand births. A moment's consideration will show what an enormous waste of life occurs in the United States from the premature death of infants. But this waste is by no means limited to infants under one year of age. The principal causes of this great mortality among infants, are ignorance, or carelessness, on the part of the mother, artificial feeding with impure milk, and living in overcrowded tenements. Careful investigations made in England have shown not only that the infant mortality is much greater among

the families which occupy one and two room tenements than among those who occupy three and four rooms, but also that the children who survived in the latter are much better developed. Dr. McKenzie as a result of the examination of 72,857 children attending public schools in the city of Glasgow found that boys from two-room houses were eleven and seven-tenths pounds lighter, on an average, than boys from the four-room houses, and four and seven-tenths inches smaller.

A considerable reduction in infant mortality has occurred in many of the cities of our own country during the past twenty-five years. In the city of Washington the mortality among white infants in 1890 was two hundred and seventy-five per thousand births, and among colored infants four hundred and forty-five per thousand births. This enormous and disgraceful waste of life has been reduced to less than one half. In the year 1911 the rate among white infants was one hundred and two and among colored infants two hundred and six per thousand births. These figures, however, are not entirely reliable because of the fact that it is difficult to get complete returns of births. But the mortality rate as compared to the population gives a reduction which does not differ greatly from the figures given. Thus in 1890 the mortality among white children under one year of age was 4.23 per thousand of the white population and among colored children 10.71 per thousand. In 1911 these rates had fallen to 1.91 for white children and to 4.75 for colored children. Taking the mortality of all children under five years of age we find that it has fallen, from six hundred and fifty-one per hundred thousand of the population in 1896 to 1900, to three hundred and sixty-eight per hundred thousand in 1911. This is a very considerable gain and shows what may be accomplished by intelligent sanitary supervision, education, improvement in housing conditions, etc. It also shows how much remains to be accom-

plished. Among the agencies which have aided in reducing excessive infant mortality in this city a prominent place should be given to the visiting Nurses Association, the Diet Kitchen, the Associated Charities and other philanthropic organizations. I cannot attempt to give the statistics of infant mortality in other cities, but would call attention to the fact that in the State of Massachusetts the death rate for infants under one year of age has been reduced during the ten years ending in 1911 from 140.4 per thousand births to 120.9 per thousand. This is considerably above the rate among white infants in the city of Washington for the same year—102 per thousand births.

It would be easy to give additional statistics illustrating the great waste of human life in the United States, and especially in our large cities. Certainly every daughter of the American Revolution will agree with me that this is a branch of the conservation question which should engage our earnest attention, and one which should have the enlightened consideration of the National Government. It is apparent that to a considerable extent the preventive measures upon which we must depend for the control of this enormous waste of human life will come within the province of States and municipalities. However, there is great room for national legislation and we already have the precedent for such legislation in our pure food laws, etc. If there is any question as to the power of the National Government to enact sanitary legislation for the country at large there can be no doubt as to the power and duty of Congress to give the District of Columbia such legislation as may be necessary to conserve the lives of its citizens, young and old. Among the things which can and should be done in the interest of the National Capital and as an object les-

son for the whole country, I would suggest enlarged powers and appropriations for the health department, including sanitary inspectors, a certain proportion of whom should be women; medical inspection of children in the public schools by experts, and an ample corps of school nurses to visit the children in their homes; fresh air school rooms and open air schools for tubercular children; legislation to secure a pure and safe milk supply; legislation to secure the extinction of our "alley slums" and to provide for the erection of sanitary homes for the working classes—either as a municipal enterprise or by aiding philanthropic organizations. The recent establishment of a children's



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Librarian General N. S., D. A. R.

bureau under the direction of Miss Julia Lathrop is an indication that our national Legislature has at last waked up to some appreciation of the importance of this subject. In various parts of the world the subject of endowing motherhood is under consideration. This is a matter of vital importance to countries like France, which have a diminishing population. Evidently many babies lose their lives because their mothers cannot give them proper attention, owing to the necessity of earning a livelihood by work which separates them from their infants, often before they are themselves fit to undertake the task to which

they have been accustomed and upon which they depend for their own support and that of their other children.

The movement in this city for a spring clean up and for the destruction of flies is to be commended from the point of view of the conservation of lives not only among infants but of adults as well.

As Chairman of the Conservation Committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the District of Columbia I have thought it best to call attention of this important field for intelligent effort for the conservation of human life in our own city.

An Educational Document

"We, the subscribers, being truly sensible of the great advantages our posterity may reap from the excellent charitable scheme formed in England for the education of Protestant youth in Pennsylvania, and being extremely desirous to encourage and promote the same, as far as in our power lies, have engaged and agreed, and hereby do engage and agree to, and with William Parsons, James Martin, Peter Traxler, Esq., John Lefever, Lewis Gordon and Peter Kichline, Deputy Trustees, mentioned and appointed by the *Trustees General* of the said charitable scheme, that each of us will pay the sum of money, and do and perform the work, labor and service in building and erecting a school house, which may occasionally be made use of as a church for any Protestant minister, to our names hereunder respectfully set down and affixed. Dated Easton, Pa., the 31st day of July, A. D., 1755.

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William Smith, in behalf of the proprietor and trustees.....	30
William Parsons	5
Lewis Gordon	3	..	..
Nicholas Scull	3	..	..
Nathaniel Vernon	3	..	..
Peter Kichline	2	..	..
Christian Rinker	1	..	..
Jacob Bachman	1	..	..
Jacob Minor	1	..	..
Adam Yohe	1	..	..
Lewis Knauss	10	..	..
Lewis Klotz	10	..	..
Henry Becker	7	..	..
George Michael Shortz.....	15	..	..
John Switz	15	..	..
Anthony Esor	15	..	..

Charles Reichart	15	..
John Wagle	1	..
George Earnest Becker.....	1	..
John Rinker	10	..
N. N.	7	6
Daniel Geese	5	..
Jeremiah Casidy Russel.....	1	..
Paul Miller	1	5
John Fricker	1	6

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Myer Hart, 20 pounds nails.
 Paul Reesor, 1,000 shingles.
 Jacob Miner, 12 days' work.
 Stephen Horn, 1 week's work.
 Henry Allshouse, 5 days' work.
 John Horn, 5 days' work.
 John Finley, 6 days' work.
 John Nicholas Reeder, 1 week's work.
 Bartholomew Hoffman, 5 days' mason work.
 Robert Miller, 4 days' mason work.
 John George Bush, 5 days' carpenter work.
 Jacob Krotz, 5 days' carpenter work.
 James Fuller, 5 days' stone digging.
 John Chapman, 3 days' carting stone.
 Henry Rinker, 30 bushels lime.
 Henry Bush, 30 wagons stone and digging.
 John Wideman, 30 wagons stone and digging.
 Thomas Harris, 50 sash lights.

This school house was a large one-story log building with a cellar under it, containing three rooms, one of them large, which was used as a church and school room. Its site was a few feet east of the German Reformed Church, and it was removed about the time of the Revolution.

William Parsons mentioned above was a shoemaker who afterwards became Surveyor General of Pennsylvania.

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The Mountain School at Devil's Fork

(Mrs. William G.) Louise McCrory Spencer

The Southern Appalachian Mountains extend from the southern border of Pennsylvania to the northern counties of Georgia and Alabama. The region they traverse is about six hundred miles long and two hundred wide, and in the two hundred and twenty-six counties which they touch, the number of inhabitants is over 3,921,555.



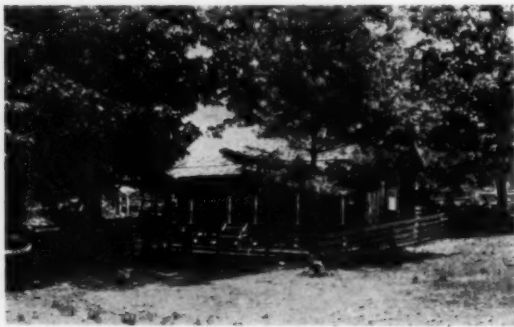
MRS. WILLIAM GARDNER SPENCER,
Who, as Regent, established a D. A. R. School at Devil's Fork in the East
Tennessee Mountains, supported by the State D. A. R.

The population of the Southern Appalachian is not of a low order of civilization. They are brave and strong people, with admirable qualities.

Their rugged virtues are traceable in many instances to their Scotch and Irish ancestry, for it is mostly from these sturdy people that the first mountain settlers in the East Tennessee Mountains sprung. Their Scotch and Irish names prove the tradition of their origin. There are three classes of these mountain dwellers. The first is composed of those who live in the fertile valleys and foothills—farmers who are much the same as well-to-do people in other parts of the country. The second class, who live some distance from the towns, are shut off from the valley people, but have occasional intercourse with the outside world. The third class are those whose little log cabin homes are in the remote regions, and so are removed from contact with their fellow men. Of course, they are ignorant in their isolation. In many places not even a rough wagon is found, and the bridle paths are all but impassable.

Ignorance and poverty are found among our own American-born people beyond belief in the great state of Tennessee, whose capital city, known as the "Athens of the South," is famous for its schools and colleges. But of what avail are such places of learning to these people? And just here, let it be said that the term, the "poor mountain whites," is an unnecessary distinction. There are no "poor mountain blacks," for there are no negroes among them. The East Tennessee mountaineer has ever been a lover of liberty, brooking no restraint. He would be as free as the air he breathes. It is to this class that Mrs. Wm. G. Spencer, State Regent, while attending

the state conference held in Knoxville in November, 1908, urged the daughters there assembled to turn their attention and to take the matter of establishing a school for consideration as their state work. This appeal met with



"GROVE COTTAGE"—WORKERS' HOME
Devil's Fork D. A. R. School

favor, and shortly after this Mr. Frederick Lee Webb, a Presbyterian minister, wrote a letter asking the daughters to meet a payment of \$60.00 for some educational work. From this sprung a correspondence resulting in the State Regent asking the state delegates to the National Congress at Washington to form a Tennessee D. A. R. mountain school to be supported entirely by voluntary contributions from the chapters in the state, the school to be located at Devil's Fork, East Tennessee, the nearest post-office address being Flag Pond. This proposition was favorably received. The regent held a conference with Mr. Webb at Johnson City, where they discussed with John Sevier Chapter the establishing of this school, the chapter promising a contribution of useful supplies for the teacher's cottage. The chapters were asked to pledge their support for only three years, feeling sure that the interest would grow strong, and the work would continue if found practical. The school is now beginning its fifth summer, and we feel more good is accom-

plished than could be possible in any other way with the same amount of money.

Two flags were donated by the Daughters, and sent with the request that Flag Day be appropriately observed by the school. A prize of a five-dollar gold piece was offered by the State Regent to the boy and girl writing the best composition on the Battle of King's Mountain, after an account of it had been read to them. Twelve compositions were submitted, and, while the reading and writing were somewhat unique, remarkable intelligence was shown. They grasped the main facts, and expressed themselves clearly, in few words.

Not only are the pupils taught their school lessons, but the young women teachers instruct them in sewing and other womanly accomplishments. The work has been simplified for us by the good fortune of having Mr. Webb engage the teachers. He knows the country and the people thoroughly, for he has given many of the best years of his life aiding them in church and community



THE COMMUNITY CHAPEL-SCHOOL HOUSE
Devil's Fork, D. A. R. School

work. Among the teachers there have been Professor Holt, of Tusculum College, and his sister, Miss Holt; two young ladies, the descendants of John Sevier; Miss Tullis and Miss McPhee-

ters, both of whom have had much experience.

Extracts from two letters will give an idea as to whether this school is "worth while." Mr. Webb writes, "Personally, I feel that from our end the outlook is all that could be desired. Every person who has ever labored here has taken a keen interest in the little school and church. The people themselves lean more and more upon this work, and it has become so closely identified with the life of the valley that its removal would be a sore loss. The school work there, as done by our teachers, has been so different from the usual public school work that at the close of a summer's term we find the influence of the D. A. R. upon the year's work making it a success. It is a satisfaction to know that the school has changed the community life to such an extent that we can hardly believe our own eyes." Again, he tells of one of the students who made good in spite of many obstacles. This student was a girl about seventeen or eighteen years of age. In her home there was a dearth of everything that goes to make home life cheerful. Her poverty was extreme. She entered the school the first summer, the two young women teachers drawing her out and making a companion and friend of her. She was a very lovable girl, and the teachers became more and more attached to her. She worked in a sawmill camp, where there were only two other women among a hundred rough men. Here she toiled from daylight until dusk cooking, but was held in the highest respect by all the members of the camp. Following this summer of toil, she entered the collegiate department of a well-known East Tennessee school, where she did good work. From there she sent word to her friends at Devil's Fork that she had chosen her life's work, that of giving herself as a teacher to mountain girls. Miss McPheeters, who had charge of the school during the term of the past summer, reported that the school opened with an enrollment of nineteen scholars, and that new pupils continued to enroll, until

there were fifty-five boys and girls in attendance daily. Miss McPheeters and her associate teacher made seventy-two visits to the homes of their pupils, visiting all, with the exception of two who lived at too remote a distance for them to reach. In conclusion, Miss McPheeters wrote, "Taking it all together, we have had a sweet and delightful season with the dear people and children up



SOME OF THE PUPILS, WITH TEACHERS

here, and the memory of them will never die."

At the State Conference held in Memphis last November, 1912, a resolution made by Mrs. Spencer to the effect that the Tennessee Daughters of the American Revolution make a combined effort to secure the passing of a compulsory education bill by the incoming legislature, was adopted. The present State Regent, Miss Mary N. Murfree (the distinguished author, Charles Egbert Craddock), at once appointed Mrs. Spencer chairman of a committee for this purpose. Mrs. Spencer asked every Daughter in the state to serve with her, and to talk the matter over with the men voters of her family, to keep prominent before the people the necessity for compulsory education. An ex-congressman of the state was preparing a bill to be known as the D. A. R. Compulsory Education Bill, but, finding that the State Superintendent of Schools had framed one covering our wishes, the committee endorsed it. The news of the passage of this bill, and that it is now a law, is most gratifying. This, however, does not do away with the need of a summer school in the mountains. Is not this strictly D. A. R. work—this building of living monuments to the

memory of the brave men who fought for American independence?

Doubtless many of these people are the descendants of men who served with Boone, Robertson, Shelby or Sevier (or others of the leaders of the men of their time) and of whom it has been said "they conquered the Alps, beyond which untold millions of later compatriots were to find their fruitful Italy."

Gilmore calls these mountaineers the "Advance Guard of Civilization," and again, the "Rear Guard of the Revolution." At Abington, Va., and the junction of the valleys of the Blue Ridge and East Tennessee Mountains, as early as June 20, 1775, a council met "and resolved never to surrender, but to live and die for liberty." This was four months before the Mecklenburg declaration, which ante-dated the declaration of American independence.

Let us have schools—more schools, and then more! Until every highland-born child may have an equal chance

with those of the valley to develop what is best in him. Miss Berry has a model school in Georgia, and there are others on a broad scale, but the Daughters in the states of Virginia, the Carolinas, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia and Alabama, might sustain dozens of small summer schools at little expense, where some learning and the refinements of civilization might be found.

This article is written with the hope that it may suggest to others the same possibility. After the humble school-house, which is used for a church on Sunday, and the home for teachers, are built, there is little expense aside from the payment of the teacher. A separate home for teachers is most important. It is well to have two women teachers, even though there are only a few pupils. Otherwise they might have to live, perhaps, in the one-room log cabin shared by a half-dozen or more children, as the pioneer workers in the mountain districts have had to do.

A Soldier's Letter

Fort Pitt, Jan'y. 3, 1783.

"Dear Wife:—

"I am Still happy that I have it in my Power to inform you that I am well. Mr. Johnston, the Bearer of this letter is setting of to morrow morning. he has obtained leave from the Gerl to go home for six weeks. he will Inform you of every Particular Concerning my Circumstances, and the Reason of me not coming home as soon as I Expected—I have got a horse and Everything to start for home I am only waiting from below wether I am Left out or not—which I suppose you know before this time But you may Depend I shall come at all events Let me be left out or not, sometime in March, and sooner if I hear wether I am in or out of the service. My dear dont want for anything Mr. Simm (?) and Mr Pence Promis'd me that they would let you have anything that you may stand in need of. So my Dear Soul Dont make yourself unhappy Because I could not Come home with Mr Johnston—But I hope you will make yourself as happy as you Can, as it will be But a short time, till you shall embrace your ever beloved Husband

"M. Everly

"I hope our Little Dear Betsy is well give her ten thousand Kisses for me"

—Copy of a letter from Michael Everly of Pennsylvania, to his wife during the Revolution. Certified by Catherine Markley on May 8, 1838 as original.

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The Lincoln Monument

Erected by the Council Bluffs Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution

On a high promontory, overlooking the valley of the Missouri, in the year 1859, a small company of men stood and looked westward. And to two of them, there came a vision of that glorious West that was to be, with its vast mines, its great manufactories, its fer-

Since that time, the spot where the immortal Lincoln stood has been dear to the citizens of Council Bluffs, and it has been the hope of many that the place should be fittingly marked.

In the hearts of two of the members of the Council Bluffs Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, there originated the plan of erecting a memorial that would defy time and be to future generations a lesson in patriotism. Through their efforts, largely, the plan was successfully carried out and on October 10, 1911, the beautiful granite shaft, the gift of the Chapter to the City of Council Bluffs, was unveiled.

It was singularly fitting that the impressive ceremony took place in the presence of the surviving members of the Army of the Tennessee, the men who fought that the Union might be maintained, and who upheld the hands of President Lincoln during the dark struggles of the Rebellion.

Previous to the unveiling, General Dodge spoke briefly giving the circumstances that had brought about the gift of the monument.

Miss Harriet Lake, vice-president general from Iowa of the Daughters of the American Revolution, made the presentation speech. She said in part:

"Council Bluffs has been the most generous of the Iowa Chapters in its gifts and contributions to the beautiful memorial hall of the Daughters in Washington. But always in their hearts has been the wish to do something for their own community.

"Today, that desire is fulfilled in a larger way than they had dared to hope, by the completion of this splendid monument, which crowns this memorial as the life of Abraham Lincoln crowned the period in which he lived.



Photo by Schmidt, Council Bluffs

LINCOLN MEMORIAL

Erected by Council Bluffs Chapter, Ia.

tile farms, with its natural resources but waiting to empty their wealth into the lap of industry.

To this vision, it was due, that Mr. Lincoln, afterward President of these United States, and General Grenville Dodge, who was then constructing the Union Pacific Railway, chose Council Bluffs to be the eastern terminus of that great public highway.

"They have builded their monument of the solid granite as emblematic of the enduring quality of Abraham Lincoln's service to his country and the love that country gives back to him."

After the acceptance of the monument on behalf of the city by the presi-



Photo by Schmidt, Council Bluffs

INSCRIPTION ON LINCOLN MEMORIAL

Erected by Council Bluffs Chapter

dent of the park commission, Mr. Emmet Tinley of Council Bluffs, orator for the occasion, delivered an eloquent address on "Abraham Lincoln," closing with these words.

"The sad, the melancholy, the weary Lincoln, could just perceive the dawn of gladness, and of peace and of rest when fate decreed his cruel ending. On the stroke of a second the deeply furrowed lines of care were smoothed from his rugged face and his tired body was at rest. There was not the gradual dimming, but only the slightest flicker from the dazzling light of his day to blackest night. O God, give us the faith to see and the inspiration to understand! Such tragedies stagger the intellect! Yet O God, your afflicted children, the children of our beloved Lincoln, with heads bowed whispered in holy prayer, 'Thy will be done.'"

General Frederick D. Grant was the last speaker of the afternoon and he spoke briefly of the first meeting of his father, General Ulysses S. Grant, and President Lincoln, and paid a high tribute to the martyred president in these words: "We gladly hasten to add our tribute in praise of this great patriot in honor of whose memory you have placed here this beautiful memorial. Let us never cease to honor the memory of Abraham Lincoln, recalling his life work, his splendid example of honesty, loyalty and patriotism."

The monument, a beautiful shaft of white granite stands on the brow of a hill, visible from nearly all parts of the city, and is a fitting tribute to him, who was indeed—

"A King of Men
Whose Crown was Love
Whose Throne was Gentleness."

Obituary—Died at Wolfeborough, New Hampshire, Mr. Samuel Morrell, aged 87 years. He was one of the intrepid band who destroyed the tea in Boston harbour in 1773. He then resided in Charleston & escaped the British vengeance by secreting himself on board a vessel having a large number of beds.

His escape so inflamed the enemy that they set on fire his wharf and stores. He was subsequently captured in the Independence and suffered imprisonment 16 months in Halifax.—Maryland Gazette.

Tribute to Mrs. Charles H. Deere

Mrs. John C. Ames, Vice President General from Illinois

Mrs. Charles H. Deere, Honorary Vice President General and one of the most widely known and best loved Daughters of the American Revolution, not only of Illinois but in the National Society, died April 27, 1913. She organized the Moline Chapter January 6, 1894, and was its Regent until elected State Regent.

She was the third in line of State Regents for Illinois, and was elected to that office three consecutive years. Although not strong physically Mrs. Deere never spared herself at the expense of any work for the State. Her regency was characterized as years of progress along every line of work.

While she was State Regent she was instrumental in securing the State appropriation of \$5,000 for the monument now standing on Campbell's Island, in commemoration of the soldiers who fell in the conflict on the island with the Indians in 1844. She also lent her best efforts in the work of inducing the Illinois Legislature to appropriate \$10,000 for the purchase of Fort Massac. The bill was passed during her regency, and no Daughter in Illinois rejoiced more heartily than Mrs. Deere. During Mrs. Deere's term of office she kept at all times in constant touch with every chapter.

In 1905, Mrs. Deere succeeded Mrs. Matthew T. Scott as Vice President General for Illinois, and proved as efficient an officer on the National Board as she did in every thing she undertook. She was always a prominent figure at the

Continental Congress. Although so modest she could hardly ever be prevailed upon to speak from the platform, she was always a force to be counted upon. Her judgment was keen, clear and quick. When the rooms were being selected in Memorial Continental Hall, it was Mrs. Deere's prompt action that secured for Illinois the room that bears its name. Some of the most beautiful adornments of the room are the gift of Mrs. Deere, who gave generously to every need of the

Daughters, whether locally or far from home. She remembered most liberally the Mountain School for white children, the Berry School for girls, night schools for immigrants—in fact there is scarcely a line of work of our National

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MRS. CHARLES DEERE,
MOLINE, ILL.

Society which will not feel the loss of this beloved Daughter.

At the Continental Congress of 1912, Mrs. Deere was elected Honorary Vice President General, a well deserved honor to one who had given so many active years of service.



Her pen rang true, as did her voice, and in one of the last articles written by Mrs. Deere occurs the following paragraph, which should be sounded long and loud because of its truth which should appeal to every one:

"Every woman in the land who is eligible to this Society, (Daughters of the American Revolution), owes it to her country to become a member that she may be a helper in ferreting out the names of the makers of her country, and to see that the names of her ancestors become a part of the historical records of the American Republic, and as such be entered into the lineage books of the Society."

One great factor in the success of Mrs. Deere was her personal magnetism, and faculty of enlisting the interest of those to whom she appealed.

Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, Honorary President General, says of her: "Probably no one outside of her own immediate family feels such a personal sense of loss as has come to me with the passing away of my beloved friend, Mrs. Deere.

All that she was to me—all that she meant to me during years of closest companionship and intimacy no words of mine can express. A pen dipped in the colors of the rainbow could alone convey some idea of the wonderful charm of this gracious, well-poised woman. The dignity and truthfulness which marked her own personality she stamped indelibly upon the character and work of the Illinois Daughters of the American Revolution.

Others will tell of her lasting and brilliant official work as State Regent of this great commonwealth—of the wise and skillful way in which she met and handled complicated and difficult matters that came to her for adjustment—of her keen perception and instinctive judgment between right and wrong and the helpful soothing influence of her calm judicial decisions.

Mine is the more tender and beautiful task of speaking of her gracious womanliness, the magnetism that drew all hearts to her, the majestic and glorious type of womanhood which restores stability and unshaken trust to our sometimes faltering faith in human nature.

Descended from a long line of distinguished ancestors, embodying in herself the highest ideals of true womanhood—rich with the garnered spoils of years of devotion to all that is best in life, herself steeped in an atmosphere of honor and integrity, her scorn of shams and hypocrisy, her disgust at the craft and the cunning that resorted to devious ways and doubtful methods, marked her as the upright, straightforward glorious type, that sheds eternal and inextinguishable lustre upon her sex.

And so, distinguished Honorary Vice President General, devoted "Daughter," beloved friend—while the world is poorer, life less rich for those to whom you were and are so precious—with you rests the lingering "grace of a day" that can never die—the benediction from thousands of hearts—"She rests from her labors and her works do follow her."

A Picture Pageant of an Historic Town

Mary A. A. Prentiss, historian, Ashuelot Chapter

A serious question in the Chapters of this society is "how to raise money?" So much is needed for memorial and general work and for the different funds. Every town or city has more or less of historic interest connected with its growth and life and this Chapter decided to give an historic pageant of our city, Keene, in observance of the birthday of George Washington. Pictures of notable events in the his-

tory of the town, from its beginning, were prepared and in the hands of an able committee resulted in an entertainment which proved an event long to be remembered. The opening scene, "Indians in the forest," gave an excellent and necessary picture of the wilderness to which the first settlers came. The succeeding dance by one of the young women, "Spirit of the forest heralding the pioneer," which broke in upon the

wilderness, dispelled the savages, and as the lights grew stronger became a graceful and fairy-like dance of unusual attractiveness, heralded the coming of the white man. "The first proprietors' meeting" was a first rate scene. Grouping in the dark with their lanterns late at night the little party of men find on the big spruce tree marked by previous surveyors, the town line of Keene, and agreeable to the mandate of their grant, open the first meeting before midnight of the 18th of September, 1734.

The "Ordination of the first minister," 1738, was a particularly effective act. Seated on rude planks placed on blocks in the frame of their sacred edifice, were men and women in the dress of the early settlers, with tithing man, foot stoves, uneasy children.

The "Old fort attacked by Indians" was well carried out with a log stockade, the attack on Captain Dorman, his hand to hand battle with two Indians, and the chase of Mrs. Clark by another Indian. The "Pomeroy reception," an ancient function of which an unusually full account was in some way preserved, gave an opportunity to introduce, in costume, many of Keene's celebrities of Revolutionary times. The minuet was danced very gracefully by eight young people. In introducing the historic characters impersonated as they successively came upon the stage, the prolocutor gave a brief account of their personal history and connection with Keene.

The three scenes following were laid in the historic old wigwam tavern still standing which is marked by a tablet placed by Ashuelot Chapter several years ago. The "Taproom," the "First Meeting of the Trustees of Dartmouth College," the "Call to Arms," when upon the receipt of the news of the battle of Concord and Lexington thirty men assembled on the green and departed for Boston on April 21, 1775, all made excellent pictures. The tableau of "The Minute Man" followed and the reproduction of Daniel C. French's famous statue in

Concord, Mass., was surprisingly good, and true to the original. With the Revolutionary soldiers from "The Call to Arms" grouped in front it made one of the best pictures of the program.

The allegorical picture of "Keene and her industries," was really a work of art and a beautiful scene. Keene's well known artist, Francis Barrett Faulkner, assisted the ladies in their preparation for this. Keene was seated in a beautiful chariot and with her attendants and the dances of the elements personified by young ladies made a picture of rare beauty and excellence. In this scene Keene and her attendants formed the central group, while the industries of Keene, personified by six graceful dancers typifying the elements of her productions, in turn danced around the stage and presented to Keene the emblems of the industries they represented.

The final scene was the "Departure of the First Regiment for the Civil War," and was made very effective, reproducing very vividly the event.

A recessional or march followed in which all the characters of the evening took part, reassembling on the stage for a final tableau, the "Goddess of Liberty" forming the central figure, standing on a high pedestal in the rear. The audience rose and joined in singing the "Star Spangled Banner."

About 150 persons took part and 175 children of the primary and intermediate grades sang choruses and songs appropriate to the scenes depicted, and added a pleasing feature. Between the scenes specialties were given by children in very pretty costumes. Attics and chests produced antiques and appropriate furniture and beautiful costumes which added much to the beauty and interest of the affair. The Chapter realized a handsome sum from the entertainment in spite of making the price of a third of the tickets 25 cents to enable the school children and students to attend as was desirable from an educational point of view.



MEMBERS OF EMILY VIRGINIA MASON CHAPTER, HASTINGS, MICH., AND REPRESENTATIVES OF SLOCUM H. BUNKER'S FAMILY
AT UNVEILING OF TABLET MARKING SITE OF FIRST HOUSE IN HASTINGS

Work of the Chapters

Emily Virginia Mason Chapter (Hastings, Michigan.)—This chapter celebrated the third year of its organization by the ambitious undertaking of marking on June 12, 1912, with a native boulder and bronze tablet, the site of the first house in Hastings, erected by its first settler Slocum H. Bunker, in 1836. Dr. Alice Bunker Stockham, his sole surviving child then in her eightieth year, came all the way from Los Angeles, Cal., to be present, and twelve others of his descendants, none of whom were residents of Hastings, were also there.

In the cement foundation a metal box was placed containing many items of city and chapter interest and notable autographs, these being wrapped in the Betsy Ross and present flags and tied with the official colors of the society.

A chorus of school girls singing "United" led the members of the Bunker family and the chapter to the dedication spot where a fitting program was given. The unveiling was done by Mrs. Stockham and little Emily McElvaine, daughter of the regent. Mrs. Jaine McElvaine, whose zeal and enthusiasm made the enterprise possible. A feature of the ceremony that should commend itself to other chapters was the method of unveiling the stone, a gilded gas pipe standard directly behind it making it possible to raise the flag, thus letting it remain a conspicuous part of the ceremony rather than lowering it or allowing it to fall to the ground as is so often the case.—SARAH ROBERTS COOK, *Historian*.

North Shore Chapter (Highland Park, Ill.)—On April 21, 1913, the Chapter celebrated its twentieth anniversary at the home of the regent. This is the second oldest Chapter in Illinois and numbers thirty-nine members.

The program at this "birthday meeting" consisted of the reading of two poems on "The Flag," written expressly for the Chapter some years ago, one by the late Mrs. Mary L. Bingham and the other by Mrs. Laura Dayton Fessenden. Two charming dialect readings were also given by Mrs. Frank B. Green, and a short history of the twenty years work

of the Chapter was read by Mrs. William C. Egan, who has served nine different years as regent.

Later, in the dining-room, toasts were given and a birthday cake surrounded by red, white and blue candles was cut.

The work of this Chapter has been for several years along educational lines—giving principally to the Berry School in Georgia and to our own grammar school. The gift this year to Miss Berry's school consisted of \$100.00 to purchase one boy's and one girl's scholarship.—MRS. GORDON BUCHANAN, *Regent*.

Monroe Chapter (Brookport, N. Y.)—For another year, we feel that we have much to be thankful for. Death has not entered our ranks, and while we have lost two members, Mrs. Patten and Miss Patten having been transferred to a Washington Chapter, we have welcomed nine new members, making a total membership of seventy-one.

We have held during the past year, five regular meetings, five special meetings, six board meetings, a luncheon, and a ball.

All special and board meetings with one exception were held with our regent, Mrs. Moore, who also opened her home for our Chapter Day meeting, October first.

Our June meeting was held at the home of the Misses Minot at which time we listened to a most interesting and instructive program on "The Important Events of the Revolutionary War" that occurred in the month of June.

We had the pleasure of having with us at this time Mrs. Sylvester, our first regent, who gave us a brief history of the chapter. The program for the year was exceptionally well carried out. The December meeting was held with Mrs. Twichell at which time Mrs. Peyster read "Enoch Arden" to a musical accompaniment by Miss Stafford.

Our Washington's Birthday luncheon with Mrs. Locke was a most enjoyable affair, and our ball in January was a financial as well as a social success.

The one hundred and thirty-eighth anniversary of the Battle of Lexington was celebrated at the home of Mrs.

Hiler, April 1, at which time through the united efforts of the March and April Committee, we were privileged to listen to one of the best literature and musical programs in the history of one chapter.

The work of the chapter for the past year is as follows:

The D.A.R. playground so successfully maintained by Monroe Chapter during the vacation months of 1910 and 1911, was continued during the month of July and two weeks of August of 1912 by the playground money left from the year before, there being \$159.27 of playground money in the treasury. The instructors were Mr. Ballard and Miss Murray. We have also contributed \$50 to the Berry School in Georgia, \$25 to the G.A.R. for a flag, \$5 toward a chair for Con. Memorial Hall, and our utility fund of \$6.50.

We feel that the work done by Monroe Chapter during the past year has been steady and progressive. Let us enter the coming year with redoubled energies, pledging ourselves to still better and wider work.—ELIZABETH G. ADAMS, *Recording Secretary*.

Ashley Chapter (Cedar Rapids, Ia.)

—In June, 1906, the Cedar Rapids held its semi-centennial celebration. From an insignificant village, a pioneer post confronted with all the difficulties and disadvantages of any pioneer settlement the city had attained the proud position of the most enterprising, the cleanest and best city in the state. It seemed fitting that at this particular epoch, Ashley Chapter should take some part in this Memorial Celebration. The daughter of one of the pioneer bankers, Mrs. Laura Wear Walker, and the writer a daughter of one of the first manufacturers of Linn County conceived the idea of erecting a drinking fountain, sometime during semi-centennial year.

The chapter readily acquiesced and through Mrs. Rider, the daughter of another Linn County pioneer, permission was obtained from the government to place this fountain at the corner of the government building.

We at first planned to borrow the money and at once erect the fountain. But more efficient minds intruded and

the Chapter was warned not to assume the burden of debt. The regent, Mrs. Adeline Wood Preston, by her own personal efforts raised a nucleus by special subscription from pioneer men and women and interest grew apace.

But the angel of death waved his magic hand and our beloved regent passed, "to that bourne from whence no traveller returns."

For many months the chapter's efforts in every direction seemed to pause, but later the work of raising this money was taken up largely in memory of our



FOUNTAIN ERECTED BY ASHLEY CHAPTER AT CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.

regent and in compliance with her request. When \$500 was raised the fountain was erected. One bright day in October, 1911, the chapter's representatives in the government building and in the absence of the regent the vice-regent Mrs. F. W. Harwood, presented the fountain to the City. The Mayor accepted the same in a brief but complimentary address. This fountain not only quenches the thirst of hundreds of people daily, but it marks the spot where the first church building ever erected in Cedar Rapids was dedicated to the worship of God.—E. A. MADISON, *Historian*.

Margaret Goffe Moore Chapter—(Madison, Maine) began its existence, January 30, 1908. During the five years, four women have served as regent. The chapter has been repre-

sented at all the State Councils, and three years at the Continental Congress in Washington.

Calendars have been prepared by the board of management and many interesting papers written, several of which have appeared in the *American Monthly Magazine*. Special attention has been given to the observance of Washington's Birthday and our anniversary; also our field day.

The chapter has placed flags and framed copies of the Declaration of Independence in the schools of Madison.

It has also contributed to the building of Continental Hall, and furnishing of the Maine room, also to the Indian Memorial at Old Town Island.

The *American Monthly Magazine* has been placed in the Public Library for the years 1911-12-13. Fifty dollars has been laid aside toward the purchase of a town clock.

The chapter has also furnished a room at Opportunity Farm, to be known as the Margaret Goffe Moore room.

The chairman of the State committee has located twenty-one graves of revolutionary soldiers, and markers have been placed on unmarked graves.

The chapter has voted to unite with Ruth Heald Cragin Chapter of North Anson in placing a suitable marker in "Arnold's Road" in Anson, the coming season.—Mrs. ANNIE W. DAVIS, *Historian*.

Mildred Warner Washington Chapter (Monmouth, Ill.)—The year just closed has been one of activity and pleasure. Our program—which was historic—has been interesting and instructive, the members responding in a pleasing manner. In connection with commencement of Eighth Grade of Public Schools, the prizes offered for essays on George Rodgers Clark, the history of Illinois,—and the history of the Flag, were awarded. Prizes consisted of \$10 and \$5 for high school pupils; \$5, \$3 and \$2 for grade pupils. Mrs. Lawrence, State Regent, gave the address in a very appropriate speech which outlined the purpose and aims of the D.A.R. and pointed out the need of historical knowledge of our country and its patriots. Mrs. James W. Scott made the awards and explained the manner in which the

prizes had been arranged and the desire to encourage the study of history among our young people. There was a social side in the program of the day. A reception was given at the home of Mrs. E. B. Colwell in honor of our guest, Mrs. Lawrence. A dinner party was given at the Colonial for our guests. Covers were laid for sixteen. Mrs. J. R. Webster, our regent, presided.

According to custom the four national days have been observed. Flag Day exercises were held at Mrs. John Ryan Smith's—an outdoor picnic had been planned, but the weather prevented. An indoor picnic equally enjoyable, with a luncheon and patriotic program, was attended by many. Founder's Day was observed with a luncheon and fine program. The function was held at the home of Mrs. Andrew Young. One of the features of the afternoon was the presentation of a D.A.R. spoon to the bride of our chapter, Mrs. George Tinkham.

Washington's wedding day was an informal affair and enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Potter. A cafeteria lunch was a change from the usual luncheon. Mrs. King gave a short address on the humorous side of her trip around the world.

Washington's Birthday banquet was the climax of entertainments. A reception was held in the parlors of Commercial Club and a fine banquet was served in the dining rooms, after which the program was given. The rooms were decorated with flags and D.A.R. colors.

Some valuable records have been sent to the State and a copy of the diary kept while on the battle fields, by John Fisher, was sent to the national historian. Letters of acknowledgment and appreciation have been received. Last but not least, one hundred dollars has been contributed toward the Memorial Continental Hall debt.—ELIZABETH BRID-ANTHALS, *Historian*.

Guthrie Center Chapter (Guthrie Center, Iowa.)—Our chapter has spent a pleasant and most profitable year. We have held monthly meetings at the homes of members, each business and program session being followed by a well appointed tea or luncheon.

The year's study has been along historical lines, especially the early history of Iowa, and has been well carried out.

The only diversion was a musicale given at the home of Mrs. T. E. Dougherty at which splendid numbers were given and *The Man Without a Country* was read by a reader who is a member of the chapter.

Cash prizes have been awarded to the three pupils of the seventh grade writing the best compositions in diary form on the Revolutionary period.

It was stipulated that the manners and customs of the time, style of dress, mode of travel, architecture, and anything else characteristic of the times should be mentioned. Quite recently the prizes were presented following a brief address by Mrs. Sheldon Washburn, chairman of the committee having the matter in charge.

Five dollars has been given to the State fund for marking the early Iowa trail.

At the recent election of officers Mrs. Robert E. Duffield was elected to the Regency to succeed Miss Etna Lemon, who has very ably officiated in that capacity the past year.

The year's schedule will close with a picnic June 7.

Next year's study will be along popular lines of interest and will include a Colonial play.—EFFA TUTTLE CRAWFORD, *Historian*.

Hermitage Chapter (Memphis, Tenn.) —With the closing of 1912-13, the Hermitage Chapter adds to her record another prosperous and happy year. Through the efforts of her efficient officers, interest has been stimulated in all lines of D.A.R. work.

The subject for historical study during the past year has been "Colonial Homes" and "Colonial Architecture." The chapter has an enrollment at the present time of sixty-four names, eight new members having recently joined.

Into the treasury has been received approximately \$350, out of which amount all chapter assessments and outstanding debts have been paid.

The chapter took an active part in the State Conference. Besides paying her assessment of \$52, she entertained several delegates at the Peabody Hotel, and

her regent Mrs. T. J. Latham entertained in her own beautiful home the distinguished State Regent, Miss Murfree (Charles Egbert Craddock). On the arrival of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, the President-General, Mrs. Latham, gave a buffet luncheon in her honor to which she invited Miss Murfree, and officers of the Hermitage and Barrett White Chapters.)

The Daughters of Tennessee felt highly honored at the visit of the President-General, who by her charming personality, and gracious manners won the hearts of all of those who had the pleasure of meeting her.

A report from this chapter would be incomplete without the personal mention of Mrs. Nat. Graves, who has for many years been untiring in her efforts for the welfare of the chapter.

At a tea given in her home recently she launched a movement to elect Mrs. T. J. Latham, State Regent, which aroused keen interest and was heartily endorsed by the Hermitage and Barrett White Chapters.

Although "Hermitage" is the oldest chapter in the State she has never before asked for a public office to be given to one of her members. Mrs. Latham is a woman of unusual brilliancy of mind and grace of manners, and is entitled to the high office by virtue of her years of faithful work, and great executive ability. She was the honor guest of the most brilliant social function of the year, a luncheon given at Hotel Gayoso, on Valentine's Day, by the Hermitage and Barrett White Chapters in appreciation of Mrs. Latham's faithful services, and out of gratitude for a Chapter House which she proposes to give to four organizations of this city, in which she is deeply interested. In this building there will be an individual home and hearthstone for the Mary Latham and Sarah Law, U.D.C. Chapters and for the Hermitage and Barrett White, D.A.R.—MRS. E. K. BRYAN, JR., *Recording Secretary*.

Patrick Henry Chapter (Martinsville, Va.) was most successfully entertained by Mrs. Mary Spencer Buchanan on May 14, at "Homestead," a home widely known for hospitality and anti-bellum traditions and service. The at-

tendance was excellent, the business sessions being held indoors. The chapter decided to ask permission to present a portrait of Patrick Henry to the Virginia room in Continental Hall, the orator having once lived in Henry county (in which Homestead is situated). The regent, who is state chairman of the Magazine Committee, urged subscriptions to the magazine and spoke of its merit and helpfulness. A concise and well-prepared account of the Continental Congress was given by Miss Woods Stevens, representative, with additional words by Mrs. Kizzia Carter and Mrs. Hope Gravely, who also were in attendance. The chapter has presented two prizes in gold in the Martinsville schools for best essays on "*How to Get and Keep a Town Clean*".

After adjournment, many visitors and the Daughters partook of a beautiful course luncheon served under the magnificent old trees on the lawn. Springtime flowers here, as in the rooms of the mansion, were abundant and fragrant. Mrs. Buchanan was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Blanche Williamson Spencer, a valued member just received. Pictures were taken of the guests after each had been presented with a blue-bird Lappenex pin.

The chapter which will elect its officers in June has a widely scattered membership, but is enthusiastic.—FAITH THOMAS PARROTT, *Regent*.

Old Oak Chapter (Grafton, Mass.) held its annual meeting on Saturday, May 3d, when Mrs. John H. C. Hadley entertained the chapter at her home. The national emblem was conspicuous, and its color scheme was also carried out in the floral decorations. At the business meeting the following named officers were elected: Regent, Mrs. Frank H. Warren; Vice-Regent, Mrs. Ivan Panin; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Chas. E. Wood; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Anna I. Bigelow; Chaplain, Mrs. Joseph A. Dodge; Registrar, Mrs. Fred L. Farnum; Treasurer, Mrs. Hugh D. MacKenzie. Mrs. Lilla M. Ware, Mrs. Frances M. McGarry and Mrs. C. E. O. Nichols were elected to the board of management, and Mrs. C. E. O. Nichols, Miss Lucy W. Biscoe and Miss Eliza-

beth S. Beane were appointed to serve as a programme committee.

Mrs. Lilla M. Ware reported for the Committee on Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves and the committee was authorized to place flags on the graves June 17th.

A graphic report of "The Continental Congress" was given by Mrs. John H. C. Hadley, who represented the chapter at Washington.

Mrs. Fred L. Farnum was elected a delegate to the State Conference in Boston, May 16th.

After the business session, Mrs. Freeman C. Rogers of Pueblo, Colorado, until recently State Regent there, gave an interesting address on the marking of the Santa Fe Trail by the Daughters of the American Revolution in Colorado.—

MIRIAM W. PANIN, *Vice-Regent*.

Colonel Arthur Erwin Chapter (De Land, Florida).—On January 15, 1910, eleven of the twelve eligible women of De Land met at the home of their appointed regent, Mrs. Helen Gaulden, to organize a chapter of the D. A. R.

It was unanimously decided to name the chapter in honor of Colonel Arthur Erwin, who furnished most of the boats in which General Washington's troops made their famous trip across the Delaware, and who is one of our regent's Revolutionary ancestors.

At the first state conference, our delegates were happy recipients of a handsome gavel of cypress wood, presented to the infant chapter by Miss Helen Mae De Voy of the Daytona Chapter. The wood from which the gavel is made was dug, by the donor, from the old corduroy road built by Revolutionary soldiers. This road runs through the ravine where was fought the battle of Oriskany.

For two years we have had printed year-books and have had many delightful programs on Colonial History.

We meet the second Friday of each month; three meetings each year are called visitors days, at which time all visiting daughters, who may be sojourning in De Land, are made welcome.

We now have nineteen active members.

In January, we presented a large flag to the De Land Public School with digni-

fied and impressive ceremony. The chapter attended in a body, also the children of the school. The band played patriotic airs and accompanied the singing of "America," after which Mrs. Harkness led in prayer. One of the officers, Mrs. G. F. Peek, acting for the regent, presented the flag with some well-chosen words of patriotic inspiration and also read the resolutions sent by the National Committee on the prevention of desecration to flags. A delegation of children consisting of Elizabeth Harkness, Mary Swift Davis, William Beatty, Robert and Chester Strawn, received the flag and carried it on their shoulders to the pole, where, assisted by Vice-Regent Mrs. W. S. Taylor, they raised the colors while the band played "The Star-Spangled Banner." Then the salute to the flag was given by the chapter and the school children. A large number of patrons, friends and visitors enjoyed the occasion very much.

On Washington's Birthday we gave a tea in the Parish Hall to the visiting D. A. R. and all eligible Daughters not affiliated with the chapter. The room was lavishly decorated with bamboo and other greens and bright with flags and bunting. The tea-table was very attractive from which dainty refreshments were served.

It is a great pleasure to welcome D. A. R. from many different Northern States who are spending the Winter in the Southland.—CANDACE R. STRAUN, *Historian*.

Continental Chapter (Washington, D. C.) was organized April 16, 1894, with Mrs. M. A. Ballinger, regent, and with twenty-one members. After these nineteen years four of the charter members are still in active work. The chapter has taken its full share in the financial burdens as well as in the social pleasures of the National Society and has watched, with pride, its development from the small beginnings to its present glorious and honorable position.

Since the Summer vacation eight meetings have been held, at each one the regent, Mrs. M. O. Marsh, has presided and Miss Lillian Chenowith, the chairman of the Programme Committee has presented interesting and instructive entertainment. We have had the pleasure of hearing addresses from some

of the National Officers and at the April meeting Col. Thomas S. Hopkins, Governor General of the National Society of the Mayflower Descendants, gave an interesting paper. The historian read a paper, "The Influence of the Pilgrims and Puritans in the Development of the American Republic," at one meeting. Six new members have joined during the year. Now there are sixty-two members. Ninety-nine dollars and ten cents has been contributed for patriotic and educational work. Miss Mabel White, a former regent, gave a scholarship to a boy at Plumtree, N. C., in the Lee-McRae Institute, and gave a prize of ten dollars for the best essay from the scholars in that school on the history of North Carolina, from its first settlement to the close of the Revolution.—ALICE BURRITT, *Historian*.

Waterloo Chapter (Waterloo, Iowa).—This chapter has a membership of forty.

We hold our meetings monthly at the homes of our members beginning in September and ending in June with our annual picnic.

The meetings are well attended and very interesting. Mrs. Elizabeth Fisher Cole, our Regent for the current year, is an enthusiastic worker.

Two copies of the AMERICAN MONTHLY MAGAZINE are taken for the chapter's use and are placed in the Public Libraries. We find the Magazine very helpful and full of interest. In January we had the pleasure of entertaining our State Regent, Mrs. H. K. Howell, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Richards, a former regent of the chapter. Mrs. Howell gave a most interesting talk concerning the work of the chapter, making suggestions for its betterment in the altruistic work. She also put especial emphasis on marking trails, especially the trail of the Iowa settlers at Council Bluffs. We had a short musical program and closed the afternoon with an "English Tea." Two meetings were held in February, one of the seventh in celebration of Lincoln's Birthday, at the home of Mrs. Richards. A business meeting was held and delegates to the Continental Congress elected. The address of the evening was made by the Rev. Effie McCollum Jones, who spoke

on Lincoln, and music was furnished by Mrs. Carton and Miss Murray.

On February 21st the chapter met at the home of the Regent, Mrs. Cole, in celebration of Washington's Birthday. Several of the members appeared in "old time" costumes. Six young men from the West High School sang, and a reading by Nelson Sly, "Nothing but Flag," was well done.

An historical contest was held and favors consisting of tiny hatchets tied with red, white and blue ribbons were given each guest.—MRS. G. W. DEWALD, *Historian*.

General Lewis Morris Chapter (Springfield, Vermont).—We are just closing an interesting and successful year of work.

The monthly meetings have been well attended. In addition to papers on Revolutionary subjects, we have had one illustrated lecture, and "Guest Night," an address by the general secretary of the People's Institute, Northampton, Mass. These, with our annual picnic, have made a pleasing variation.

The chapter was organized in June, 1908, and its special work has been the marking of the "Old Crown Point Road" as it passes through the town.

At different times the chapter has placed markers at some of the historic places along the road. This year receiving an appropriation from the town to help in the work, markers have been placed at the intersection of the principal highways.

These markers, which are ten in number, are all of Barre granite, four feet in height, eighteen inches wide and ten inches thick, with polished front for the lettering of the inscription, and rock edge top and bottom.

In addition to the inscription which is cut into the granite, each monument has an arrow at the top, pointing in the direction of the old road. They are set in foundations of cement eighteen inches deep, so they will be free from action by the frost. Eight of the markers bear the following inscription:

"Crown Point Road
Built by Gen. Amherst
1759

Marked by Town of Springfield
1912."

The other two are on special historic spots and have appropriate inscriptions. The one erected at the expense of the chapter marks the ground of the old "Gaylord Tavern," a place of much historic interest.

The completed work is one in which the chapter and citizens take an interest and pride.—M. EVA BAKER, *Historian*.

Rebecca Parke Chapter (Galesburg, Illinois).—Rebecca Parke Chapter has just reached the one hundred mark, in its membership, with seven life members. Our programs during the last year have been a study of "Women of the Revolutionary Period." In October, a luncheon was given for the State Regent, and on December 14, a reception was tendered her by the chapter.

The Patriotic Education Committee has accomplished unusually fine work. During the summer months a story-telling hour was held in the public library, or on the college campus. The hour was so successful and was so largely attended that the library board urgently requested its continuance.

A prize of \$5.00, and a second prize of \$2.50, for essays on patriotic subjects were again given to the freshman classes of Knox and Lombard Colleges, and to the High School; and prizes of \$10.00 and \$5.00 for a patriotic history contest to the Seniors and Juniors of Park College, Parkville, Missouri.

Washington's and Lincoln's Birthdays were celebrated, when programs were given by the grade schools. Fifty dollars has been sent to the Berry School to maintain our chapter's scholarship; \$35.00 to the Berea School; \$50.00 to the Hindman School; \$5.00 to the Chairman of Patriotic Education to use in the State; \$20.00 to the Titanic Memorial fund; \$100.00 to the Memorial Continental Hall fund; and in response to the State Regent's request to take up the "penny-a-day" plan, over \$175.00 was given.

Captain James Lawrence Club, Children of the Republic, is flourishing under the direction of Mrs. Nevin Lescher and Miss Jennie Corbin. At the regular monthly meetings the programs have consisted of papers on the "United States Possessions" and "Conservation"; and spirited debates and a mock trial have

been given. Inspiring talks were given to the club by our State Regent, Mrs. George A. Lawrence, Prof. Conger of Knox College, and Mr. E. R. Drake. From their treasury the boys gave \$5.00 to the Chapter House fund of Rebecca Parke Chapter. Contributions were sent to the Southern Mountain School.

The chapter has forwarded various petitions to Congress, signed by hundreds of the Daughters and citizens, asking for the passage of bills that have been brought to our attention as Daughters.

Mrs. Charles Ashley Webster, a member of the Research Committee, has written a valuable book, "Seventy-five Significant Years," or the "Story of Knox College from 1837-1912." The growth and history of Galesburg is included in this volume.

The graves of our Real Daughter, and of two revolutionary soldiers have been marked. Three dollars was sent for the Caroline Scott Harrison memorial tablet and sixty dollars for the Caroline Scott Harrison Scholarship. We have given liberally of our time and money to local demands. Our flower fund is maintained by voluntary offerings. In January, seventy members assembled to sew for an entire day for the hospital, the free kindergarten, and the Visiting Nurse Association.

The activities of our members have resulted in a fund of \$6,500.00 toward our Chapter House.

We have thirty-seven subscriptions to the AMERICAN MONTHLY MAGAZINE.

Our chapter received much inspiration from its honored member, Mrs. George A. Lawrence, who for the third time has been unanimously elected State Regent of Illinois.—MABEL FOSTER SMITH, *Historian*.

Staten Island Chapter (New York City) gave a most successful reception in honor of the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, on the afternoon of May 10. Mrs. Story received with Miss Mary Wolcott Green, regent, assisted by Mrs. Joseph S. Wood, honorary State Regent, Mrs. Simon Baruch, regent Knickerbocker Chapter, and Miss Susanne M. Stone, regent Bronx Chapter.

The informal program included two solos by Mrs. N. D. Chapman, who was

introduced by the regent as the youngest member, eligible to the society through the services of a woman—Esther Lowrey, wife of Col. Thomas Lowrey, of New Jersey. Florence, the tiny daughter of Mrs. Frederick Hildebrandt, danced the Highland Fling in quaint Scottish costume, and the guests of honor each gave cheering words of greeting as did the visiting representatives of other chapters, Mrs. Lewis of the Madison Chapter of Hamilton, Mrs. E. D. Wisely of New York City Chapter, Mrs. F. I. Smith of Mesereau Chapter, Mrs. Stephen D. Stephens for Mary Desha Memorial Chapter, and Mrs. Laura Yetman for the Richmond County Chapter.

The regent, Miss Green, and Mrs. Shumway, Chairman of her Committee on Patriotic Education, had been conducting a series of historical pilgrimages over Staten Island for the purpose of interesting the pupils of the public schools in local history. A number of pupils accompanied the regent and chairman on these pilgrimages, the first of which was to visit the Christopher House, one of the oldest on the Island, and during the Revolutionary War the gathering place of the Committee of Safety. Another was to the old Mesereau House, the residence of Jacob Mesereau, one of five brothers who fought on the American side in the Revolution and from which he made a dramatic escape from the British by jumping from an upper story window and hiding in a swamp. One of the pilgrimages was to the remains of the ancient British fortifications back of the old town of Richmond. Upon this occasion the young pilgrims visited the ruins of the Latourette House, the headquarters of the notorious Lieut.-Col. Simcoe, of the British forces, the old Church of St. Andrews, endowed by Queen Anne and partially destroyed by the British during the Revolution, and the Black Horse Tavern, Headquarters of the British officers; also the site of The Rose and Crown Tavern, where General Howe first read the Declaration of Independence. The Chapter has offered prizes for the best compositions telling the stories of each pilgrimage. Preparations are being made to carry on this branch of work on a more extended scale during the coming year.—Julia Wilson, *Historian*.

First "Safe and Sane Fourth" Movement

Ellen Hardin Walworth, Founder and Honorary Vice-President General

MEMORIAL CONTINENTAL HALL FOUNDERS' ROOM

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION:

You may be interested to know that the present great national movement for a "safe and sane" celebration of the Fourth of July—the Nation's Birthday, the sacred Feast of Freedom—was practically and appropriately initiated by our National Society, in union with the "Order of the Cincinnati," the "Sons of the Revolution" and "Sons of the American Revolution," in 1892, on the very spot in Washington City where the most notable celebration in the early years of this century will take place on July 4, 1913, at the foot of the mighty monument commemorative of the Father of His Country. An account of that event in 1892 was written for this Magazine* by a well known writer and charter member of our Society, Ella Loraine Dorsey. I quote freely from that sketch as few of you have access to early numbers of the AMERICAN MONTHLY, now in bound volumes in the Library of Memorial Continental Hall.

"The morning of July 4, 1892, was ideal—clear, with soft pencilings of white clouds; the sun shone with such brilliance that it lighted into life every leaf and shrub, throwing up in high relief the Potomac, the Virginia shore and the historic hills of our beautiful Maryland. A fresh wind blew soft and cool from the river, a perfect day and fit setting for the scenes to follow, the last one to be of dramatic inspiration."

At 9 A. M. the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Sons of the Revolution, Sons of the American Revolution, and the Order of the Cincinnati attended a patriotic religious service at the beautiful Church of the Epiphany, "where the stained glass, the rich frescoes and

wrought-iron rood-screen, the groined arches of fine proportions gave solemn significance to this assembled body of representative Americans, whom four and five generations of American ancestry had moulded into a type of the highest order, as was evident when each face kindled to the moment of spiritual and patriotic emotion, while the great organ rolled out "God Save the State," and every voice arose on the thrilling harmonies of "America," and caught up the refrain, the women's soprano soaring to the arch, and the deep diapason of the men sweeping wave-like below.

As the "Amen" echoed into silence the Chaplain indicated the pre-arranged order of march to the monument; first, was the Fourth-Artillery U. S. A. Band, the Battery having gone direct to the Monument from the arsenal; next the best militia company of the city, the "Washington Light Infantry," as escort; then the Order of the Cincinnati, followed by the Sons of the Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution, then the Daughters of the American Revolution, in carriages and some on foot; as these last turned the corner of G and Fifteenth Street there occurred an incident so chivalrous, so touching that every woman's nature tendered quick appreciation. One of a group of gentlemen, hurrying out of the hotel, seeing the throng of elegantly clad people all tending to one point, asked a police officer, who held back cars, wagons, etc.,

"Officer, what is this?"

"The Sons and Daughters of the Revolution," was the reply.

Instantly he doffed his hat, and like a flash the inspiration passed down the crowd of men as far as I could see. Hats came off and heads stayed uncovered until we were quite gone—the tribute of present day Americans to the memory of the men who with life and fortune purchased the priceless boon of freedom, and whose representatives were recognized in our societies.

*Mrs. Walworth was then editor and manager, as she was also the founder, of the "American Monthly."

At the Monument grounds the guns were parked to the eastward, and from the entrance to the foot of the great white shaft the infantry stood at "Present Arms," and the colors were lowered to each of the societies as they passed on their way to the top of the knoll crowned by the Monument. There the speakers and the President of the United States were seated on a platform which had been erected. The Daughters were seated on the sward in front. The leaders on this occasion chosen to represent them on the platform were: Miss Eugenia Washington, Founder N. S. D. A. R., and Miss Elizabeth Lee Washington, and their "National Board" and "Chapters" were proud of their representatives. The "Sons" were drawn up in a line, four deep, and stood in the rear of the Daughters; behind the "Sons" was a great crowd of the solid citizens of the city, and also many Senators and Members and the best behaved set of children I ever saw; they were absorbed spectators and listeners; it was a hopeful sign and beautiful sight to see them playing, clustered about the lofty monument with its awe-inspiring simplicity, in unison with their trusting spirits, which, alas! have too often been crushed, and their precious bodies been torn, even unto death, in Fourth of July celebrations with firearms and various gunpowder devices.

The ceremonies of the day opened with a salute of thirteen guns, and the reading of the Declaration of Independence. What a marvelous document it is! And as the cannon boomed the periods, and the free wind of the Lord blew the rich round notes of the young reader's voice far among the throng, I lifted my eyes to the lofty height of the

wonderful shaft, in whose shadow we rested, and behold! a rainbow had flung out its banner! Over and across the topmost peak of that sublime heaven-pointing pinnacle it swept; that arched segment of brilliant light, and face after face flashed up to it, and heart after heart thrilled at the suggestions that streamed from its prismatic arc. We thought it a fleeting glory, but no! a greater was to come, for during the admirable speech of Henry Wise Garnett, and the stirring words of his colleague, Judge Goode, the segment lengthened and grew, and broadened and brightened and changed position until it lay a perfect ring about the top of the monument.

There were scientists and soldiers, statesmen and scholars in the throng, but all whom I heard speak on the subject agreed that they had never before seen a horizontal rainbow in a sky without a storm-cloud.

The occasion was altogether a brilliant success and the numbers attending and intensely interested much larger than expected."

The unusual appearance of the rainbow in the midst of this celebration was commented on largely by the press of that time, and personally, in Saratoga, I received a number of letters referring to it as an omen of good fortune for our Society—or at least as an inspiring hope for the future. One of the most enthusiastic of those letters was from Miss Mary Desha, Founder N. S. D. A. R., who was a person far from being sentimental or easily stirred to a devotional attitude, but she was strongly affected as she gazed with amazement at the gradual unfolding of that circle of light around that white heaven-piercing memorial to Washington.

Annapolis, Md.

Extract of a letter from Marquis La Fayette, dated La Grange, Oct. 26, 1823:

"A visit to the U. S. which I may be allowed to take, once more going home, would be to me a source of inexpressible delight. It is true, most of the friends of my youth—the parties in common feeling & exertions with our Paternal Chief are no more—but several are still living & I have been blessed with the most flattering testimonies that ensuing generations have not forgotten me.

"How happy should I be in sight of that eminent freedom, prosperity, domestic comfort & all the advantages of true civilization & extensive felicity, which placing the U. S. above ancient & modern societies, seems to stand as a compensation for the disappointments we have had to deplore in Europe."—*Maryland Gazette*, Jan. 15, 1824.

From the State Library, Annapolis, Md.:

Revolutionary Records

This department is intended for hitherto unpublished or practically inaccessible records of patriots of the War for American Independence, which records may be helpful to those desiring admission to the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution and to the registrars of Chapters. Such data will be gladly received by the editor of this magazine.

THE LAST SURVIVORS OF THE WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE

By the Rev. Anson Titus, West Somerville, Mass.

Hill, Noah, d. Douglas, Me., July —, 1840, aged 82. a pensioner; m. 1784, Esther Baker. Hilliard, Samuel, a clergyman, d. Clarendon, Vt., Nov. 16, 1831, aged 83. Was at the Battle of Bennington.

Hilton, Hale, Capt., d. Beverley, Mass., Aug. 20, 1841, aged 82, a pensioner.

Hilton, Morrell, d. Wiscasset, Me., about March —, 1840, aged 85.

Hinckley, Sylvanus, Deacon, d. Barnstable, Mass., Aug. 1, 1841, aged 84.

Hinman, Ephraim, General, d. Roxbury, Conn., and buried in Southbury, Conn., Dec. 11, 1829, aged 76 yrs., 8 mo. Was an officer in Connecticut militia.

Hobart, Edmund, d. Hingham, Mass., April 3, 1847, aged 92; a pensioner.

Hockstrasser, Paul I., d. Bern, Albany Co., N. Y., Oct. 14, 1843, aged 80.

Holt, Moses, d. Danville, N. H., Aug. —, 1842, aged 89; a pensioner. Native of Amesbury, Mass.

Holbrook, Daniel, Esq., d. Wrentham, Mass., April 17, 1839, aged 82.

Holbrooke, John, d. Sturbridge, Mass., Jan. 31, 1839; m. 1776, Lucretia Babbitt, who d. Oct. 11, 1831, aged 73.

Holcomb, Jonathan, physician, d. Marion, O., Oct. 1, 1847, aged 86. A native of Sheffield, Mass.

Holden, Samuel, d. Charlestown, Me., April 12, 1838, aged 76. An early settler of the town.

Holden, Timothy, d. Charlestown, N. H., Aug. —, 1833, aged 73.

Holland, Joseph, d. Vienna, Me., Feb. 17, 1847, aged —; m. Hannah —, who d. same place Feb. 10, 1847, aged 72.

Hollister, Jesse, Capt., d. Burlington, Vt., Janu. —, 1831, aged 76.

Hollister, Joseph, Sergeant, of Glastonbury, Conn.; present during the siege of Boston; at surrender of Burgoyne; bore important messages from Putnam to Washington; 1798, removed to Sharon and 1805 to Salisbury, where he d. Aug. 21, 1848, aged 96; m. 1778, Patience Hollister, who d. 1826.

Holman, Silas, Gen. (militia title), d. Bolton, Mass., April 25, 1846 or 1847, aged 86 yrs., 8 mo. and 20 days. Often a member of State Legislature. m. 1785, Elizabeth Ather-ton, who d. March 11, 1844, aged 77 yrs. and 4 days.

Holmes, John, d. Oxford, N. Y., May 12, 1849, aged 90; entered the army at 16 years; an early settler of Oxford.

Holmes, Lazarus, d. Jefferson, Me., about Jan., 1852, aged 87.

Hood, Benjamin Landon, d. Taunton, Mass., March 8, 1839, aged 88. A native of Boston.

Hooper, William, d. Marblehead, Mass., April 30, 1839, aged 82; a pensioner.

Hooker, Zibeon, Capt., d. Newton, Mass., Dec. 21, 1840, aged 89. An officer in Revolution; member of the Society of Cincinnati.

Hopkins, Joshua, d. Orleans, Mass., March 19, 1842, aged 88 yrs., 6 mos.

Hopson, William, d. Orange Co., N. C., aged 84; m., about Sept., 1839, Harriet Booth, aged 17.

Hopkinson, Caleb, d. Limington, Me., Feb. 18, 1841, aged 94 yrs. and 6 mos. A native of Bradford, Mass.

Horth, Francis, d. Conerus, N. Y., April 6, 1849, aged 87.

Hesmer, James, d. Walpole, N. H., Feb. 1, 1840, aged 82.

Houghton, Jonas, Major, d. Bolton, Mass., Dec. 1, 1847, aged 87 yrs., 7 mos. and 7 days; a pensioner; m. Eunice Houghton, who d. Dec. 1, 1842, aged 78.

Howard, John, Esq., Salem, Mass., Aug. 9, 1848, aged 93 yrs., 7 mo.

Howard, Joshua, Col., d. Haverhill, N. H., Jan. 7, 1839, aged 99.

Howard, Nathaniel, d. St. Johnsbury, Vt., about Nov., 1839, aged 91; a pensioner.

Howard, Samuel, d. Conway, N. H., June —, 1840, aged 93. "Said to have been one of the Boston 'Tea Party,' but the 'Tea Party' man was probably another person of the same name.

How, Jonathan, d. Methuen, Mass., April 26, 1841, aged 88.

Howe, Perley, d. Williamstown, Vt., Nov. 7, 1839, aged 84. Formerly, of Williamstown, Mass.; m. 1783, Sarah —.

Hubbard, George, Capt., d. Lebanon, N. H., July 2, 1839, aged 76. Served at the age of 12, in Connecticut Company, of which his father was Captain, and served through the war.

Hubbell, Abijah, d. Canandaigua, N. Y., Oct. 24, 1843, aged 83. Served three years. Born in Connecticut.

Humphrey, Robert, d. winter of 1840-41, at Blooming Grove, N. Y., aged 90.

Humphrey, Samuel, d. West Springfield, Mass., March 12, 1847, aged 94; a pensioner.

ERRATUM

In the Revolutionary Records Department of the June issue (p. 344), the entry under Roger Haskell should read "d. Peru, Mass.," not Penn., Mass.

Marriage Record Exchange 1777-1850

Through the National Committee on Historical Research

Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, Chairman

Records from Local Court House, Marlboro,
Prince George County, Md.

[Continued from June issue.]

61. Feb. 19, 1806, Athey, Hezekiah—Barbara Coe.
62. Dec. 31, 1811, Acton, Hepsy—William Coates.
63. Dec. 22, 1815, Anderson, Henry—Elizabeth Lindsay.
64. Dec. 22, 1819, Anderson, Hezekiah—Elizabeth Cooke.
65. Dec. 15, 1841, Addison, Harriet—Dr. John H. Bayne.
66. Oct. 24, 1777, Adams, Josephus—Elizabeth Watson.
67. March 23, 1779, Alder, Joanna—Philip Ryon.
68. Oct. 29, 1781, John Allen—Verlinda Lanharn.
69. Feb. 8, 1783, Atchison, James—Ann Daisar.
70. Jan. 6, 1790, James Alder—Rebecca Atchison.
71. Nov. 5, 1791, Adams, Joseph—Ann Nevitt.
72. June 1, 1792, Adams, Judy—John Barton.
73. Sept. 16, 1799, Atwell, James—Elizabeth Owens.
74. July 19, 1800, Anderson, Jofer—Mary Riley.
75. Feb. 1, 1803, John Adams—Ann Thompson.
76. Oct. 21, 1807, Anderson, John Varnall—Mary Hurley.
77. Jan. 30, 1811, Anderson, John—Alice Duwall.
78. Nov. 12, 1811, Allnutt, James—Juliet Jackson.
79. Dec. 11, 1811, John E. Atchison—Eva Vermillion.
80. March 24, 1815, Alder, James—Eleanor Tippet.
81. Dec. 16, 1817, Arnold, John—Nancy Davis.
82. Feb. 11, 1824, Aloy, John—Rebecca Suit.
83. Dec. 14, 1824, Anderson, John—Matilder Walker.
84. March 18, 1825, Adams, Jenny D.—John S. Davis.
85. Nov. 23, 1827, Alden, James H.—Penelope Latimer.
86. Jan. 27, 1829, Armiger, John—Tessha Gardiner.
87. Sept. 21, 1831, Armiger, John—Ann Dove.
88. Oct. 15, 1834, Anderson, Jane—John B. Edelen.
89. Dec. 28, 1840, Allen, James—Susan Ann Smith.
90. April 11, 1844, Aonald, James N.—Mary E. King.
91. Jan. 12, 1847, Atkerson, James W.—Mary Haye.
92. Nov. 19, 1849, Alvey, John W.—Marion Lowe.
93. June 2, 1781, Adams, Luke—Susanna Thorn.
94. Dec. 16, 1788, Adams, Leosa—Thos. Barton Small.
95. Dec. 19, 1797, Anderwig, Lancelot—Sarah Turner.
96. Dec. 30, 1809, Albey, Levi—Rachel Hopkins.
97. Sept. 13, 1817, Arnald, Lucy—Thomas Standage.
98. Dec. 18, 1822, Anderson, Lydia—John Stewart.
99. Dec. 13, 1827, Adams, Littleton T.—Mary Ann Estep.
100. Dec. 12, 1832, Adams, Letecia—James S. Howell.

Marriage Records in Baltimore Record Office, 1778

Date	Number	Males	Females	Minister
April 21	101	Timothy Collins	Elizabeth McFer	Chase
April 22	102	Berryman Godfrey	Mary Bullak	Chase
April 23	103	Francis Boyd	Ruth Tevis	Chase
April 25	104	Emanuel Stansbury	Rachel Pumphrey	Chase
April 25	105	William Finn	Susannah Quay	Chase
April 28	106	Johann A. Loose	Barbara Hugin	Chase
April 30	107	John Book	Ann Willering	Beam
April 30	108	John Shaw	Mary Hawkins	Chase
April 30	109	John Brown	Elizabeth Davis	Allison
April 30	110	Samuel Jacobs	Catherine Marker	Chase
May 1	111	Alexander Davis	Elizabeth Doyle	Davis
May 4	112	Mordecai Cole	Natridge Price	Werster
May 5	113	Richard Gardener	Mary Davis	Chase
May 6	114	Aquilla Tipton	Rebecca Belt	Waring
May 6	115	Samuel Swann	Susannah Puntenay	Chase

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Date	Number	Males	Females	Minister
May 9	116	John Allen	Sarah Merriken.....	Chase
May 10	117	William Townsend	Sarah Mason.....	Chase
May 10	118	James Bard	Martha Griffiths.....	Chase
May 13	119	McLain Stinchcomb	Mackey Merriman.....	Chase
May 16	120	Thomas Bannan	Mary Sheppard.....	Chase
May 16	121	John Cahoe	Johanna Bennett.....	Chase
May 16	122	Christian Rittig	Mary Thomas.....	Chase
May 16	123	Jonathan Rutter	Martha Longwell.....	Chase
May 17	124	Job Davidson	Elizabeth Miller.....	Chase
May 18	125	Robert Stacey	Rebecca Carter.....	Chase
May 19	126	Thomas Shaw	Ann Horton.....	Chase
May 20	127	Peter Squires	Mary McClun.....	Davis
May 22	128	Thomas Jeffery	Catharine Barkhouse.....	Chase
May 23	129	Rowland Bates	Margaret Woolen.....	Chase
May 24	130	Thomas Shaw	Ann Horton.....	Chase
May 25	131	Thomas McDonaldson	Margaret Ross.....	Chase
May 25	132	John Hannah	Elizabeth Greenfield.....	Chase
May 26	133	James Day	Elizabeth Jonston.....	Chase
May 26	134	James Day	Elizabeth Jonston.....	Chase
May 28	135	Cornelius Trimble	Elizabeth Geiter.....	Chase
May 28	136	Patrick Cassidy	Hannah Read.....	Chase
May 29	137	James Morris	Jane Burk.....	Chase
May 30	138	John W. Dorsey	Comfort Worthington.....	Chase
May 30	139	Stephen Treacle	Orpha Hooper.....	Chase
May 30	140	Charles Dowlan	Ann Brannigan.....	Chase
June 1	141	John Donnigan	Catherine Donnigan.....	Chase
June 1	142	Robert Reynolds	Mary Carty.....	Chase
June 3	143	John Flisher	Isabella Dugmore.....	Chase
June 3	144	John Stroman	Mary Sitler.....	Otterbein
June 4	145	Philip Jervis	Sarah Alguire.....	Chase
June 4	146	Francis Gerrish	Mary Lyon.....	Chase
June 4	147	Masis Yedlie	Ann Tear.....	Chase
June 6	148	Charles White	Elizabeth Babbs.....	Chase
June 7	149	John Burdan	Elinor Squires.....	Chase
June 7	150	Christopher Hughes	Peggy Sanderson.....	Chase
June 8	151	Samuel Miles	Margaret Sizer.....	Chase
June 8	152	Daniel Sullivan	Mary Henderson.....	Chase
June 9	153	Benjamin R. Talbot	Martha Deaver.....	Chase
June 9	154	William Finley	Ann Whinrite.....	Geroch
June 10	155	Joshua Buck	Sarah Crook.....	Chase
June 11	156	James Reddick	Elizabeth Chapline.....	Chase
June 13	157	Thomas Cook	Mary Simpson.....	Chase
June 16	158	Peter Dolphin	Elizabeth Hults.....	Chase
June 17	159	Talbott Shipley	Ruth Burgiss.....	McGill
June 18	160	John Thomas	Marthen Henderson.....	Chase
June 19	161	Hugh McDonald	Rebecca McDonnild.....	Chase
June 19	162	John Young	Mary Kelly.....	Chase
June 20	163	James Lewis	Hannah Carter.....	Chase
June 20	164	Basal Waller	Sarah Parks.....	Chase
June 22	165	John Evans	Latissa Ellicott.....	Allison
June 22	166	William Anderson	Mary Sullivan.....	Chase
June 22	167	Henry Skipton	Mary Broderick.....	Chase
June 23	168	John Stevenson	Sarah Gott.....	Chase
June 25	169	Henry Worthington	Mary Yeistes.....	Chase
June 27	170	Martin Mucara	Susannah Calep.....	Chase
June 28	171	William Graham	Siba Robinson.....	Chase
June 30	172	David Ellicott	Martha Evans.....	Chase
July 1	173	Nehemiah Hicks	Hannah Marshall.....	Davis
July 2	174	Joseph Smith	Sarah Gist.....	Chase
July 3	175	James McClughen	Margaret Kelly.....	Chase
July 3	176	Thomas Wilson	Elizabeth Dunbo.....	Chase
July 5	177	William Chatterback	Jane Aston.....	Otterbein
July 6	178	Godfrey Mailing	Regina Millering.....	Beam
July 6	179	William Rose	Mary Welsh.....	Chase
July 6	180	Benjamin Whipps	Rebecca Pierce.....	McGill
July 9	181	Elijah Elder	Mary Davage.....	Chase
July 9	182	Levi Roberts	Elizabeth Flood.....	Chase
July 12	183	James Gilling	Elizabeth Wates.....	Chase
July 13	184	Isaac Marshall	Mary Quarterman.....	Chase
July 13	185	Frederick Miller	Cartront Lown.....	Geroch

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July 13	186	George Richardson	Bridget Burns.....	Chase
July 17	187	James O'Callahan	Catharine McFarlin.....	Chase
July 21	188	William Brannan	Catherine Bailey.....	Davis
July 22	189	Hugh Kelly	Mary Hudless.....	Chase
July 25	190	Martin McGuire	Ann Taylor.....	Chase
July 25	191	John Councilman	Mary Turnpaw.....	Chase
July 25	192	Daniel Worthington	Martha Garrison.....	Chase
July 25	193	John Valentine Gaver	Mary Kelly.....	Chase
July 25	194	Arthur Chenowith	Dellah Helm.....	Chase
July 30	195	Thomas Murphy	Sidney Forkner.....	Chase
August 1	196	James Gordon	Jane Skinner.....	Chase
August 2	197	George Holland	Margaret Allender.....	Chase
August 4	198	James Woodward	Tamer Bolton.....	Chase
August 4	199	George Litzinger	Elizabeth Pulamas.....	Chase
August 5	200	John Cannon	Hannah Hammer.....	Chase

Copied from the original records by (Mrs. Thos. L.) Lyde Coulter Gibson, Regent; (Mrs. James L.) Ridgaway Ray Ridgely, Registrar, Mordecai Gist Chapter, Baltimore, Maryland, December 18, 1912.

In Memoriam.

The Elizabeth Porter Putnam Chapter, Putnam, Connecticut, has lost two of its charter members during the last year. MRS. LAURA EDDY PAYNE died at her home in Putnam January 13, 1913, and MRS. ELLA A. EXTON STODDARD died at the home of relatives in Arlington, N. J., January 28, 1913.

The Sarah Caswell Angell Chapter, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, mourns the loss of three valued members during the year. MRS. ELLEN WEAKLY WHITE died December 11, 1912, MRS. ROBERT CAMPBELL (Lavina Childs) passed away January 24, 1913, and MRS. MARTHA SPENCER OSWALD, a non-resident member, died in St. Augustine, Fla., March 15, 1913.

MRS. JENNIE DEWEY BLACKWELL, wife of Edward Dickenson Blackwell, died in Brandon, Vt., March 28, 1913. She was the daughter of Hon. Charles Dewey and Betsey Tarbox Dewey, and a niece of Admiral George Dewey of Manila fame. Mrs. Blackwell was born in Montpelier, Vt., May 29, 1854, and was a valued member of Lake Dunmore Chapter.

MRS. PHERE WELLS ANTES, secretary of the Geneseo Chapter, Geneseo, Ill., died on May 16, 1913, at the home of her sister-in-law in Chicago after a few days' illness.

MRS. MARY FERRIS GATES, a member of Ft. Atkinson Chapter, Jefferson, Wisconsin, died on May 24, 1913, a victim of the accident at Long Beach, Calif., when the Auditorium collapsed.

MRS. ANNIE ROBERTS EMERY NESBITT died on May 19, 1913. Mrs. Nesbitt, a gifted and highly esteemed member of the Quaker City Chapter, Philadelphia, Pa., was well-known in journalistic circles. Eighteen years ago she organized the Pennsylvania Women's Press Association and was its president for five consecutive years. After an interval she was again elected to this office and later served a third term.

MRS. CAROLINE ELMIRA ARCHIBALD, a member of the David Reese Chapter of Oxford,

Miss., died March 20, 1913, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bebee, in Eaton, Md., aged 82, and was buried in Oxford. She was born in Cabanas Co., N. C., the daughter of David Bradshaw and Amelia Reese, and granddaughter of David Reese, a signer of the Mecklenburg Declaration. Three generations of the descendants of this patriot were members of the David Reese Chapter when it was formed.

MRS. JANE MARSH PARKER, a well known writer and historian in New York State and a valued member of Irondequoit Chapter, Rochester, N. Y., died on March 13, 1913, in Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Parker was born in Milan, Dutchess Co., N. Y., on June 16, 1836, the daughter of Sarah Adams and the Rev. Joseph Marsh, a Campbellite minister. In 1856 she married Mr. George T. Parker, a well-known attorney of Rochester.

As a writer Mrs. Parker was known throughout the country, having contributed to all the leading periodicals, including that of the Episcopal Church, as well as Harper's and Century magazines. She was one of the Spectator's Club contributors to the Outlook, and a member of the Contributors' Club, writing for the Atlantic Monthly. Mrs. Parker's historical writings include histories of Rochester, the Genesee Valley, the Iroquois, the Jesuits. Treating the Millerite delusions, which prevailed during her childhood was a special literary field. She wrote the "Little Millerite," published in the Century in 1886. Shortly before that she had published her novel, "The Midnight Cry." Mrs. Parker was one of the founders of the Rochester Historical Society and was its first corresponding secretary. She also had the distinction of founding the first women's club in New York State after Sorosis, the Fortnightly Ignorance Club of Rochester. Mrs. Parker was one of the first women to oppose the placing of women in jails with hardened criminals, and it was largely through her efforts that the first matron was placed in the Rochester jail.

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<i>Date</i>	<i>Parents</i>	<i>Children</i>	<i>Witnesses</i>
[226] July 4	Philip Heist and Susanna	Anna Elisabetha	J. Nicolaus Heist and wife, Elisabetha
[227] July 6	Henrich Bleyler and Susanna	Anna Maria	Anna Maria Bleyler
[228] July 6	Michael Resch and Anna Margaretha	—	J. Sperri and wife, Anna Margaretha
[229] July 12	Jacob Meyer and Anna	Anna Barbara	J. Martin and wife, Anna Barbara
[230] July 12	Gerhardt Stricker and Catharina	Catharina	Valentin Neugisser and wife, Catharine
[231] July 12	Isaac Somani and Magdalena	Eva Elisabetha	Andreas Ohl and wife
[232] July 12	Paul Schwanger and Barbara	Nicolaus	J. Bisecker and wife, Christina
[233] July 19	Philip Huth and Eva	J. Stoffel	J. Stoffel Weiss and wife
[234] July 19	J. Stab and Catharina	Maria Margaretha	Jacob Wittmer and wife
[235] July 26	Christoffel Heisser and Barbara	Barbara	J. Georg Lauer
[236] July 26	Philip Becker and Maria Elisa	Maria Magdalena	J. Michael Bastian and wife, Magdalena
[237] Aug. 9	Weigandt Pannenbecker and Nelche	Elisabetha	Melchior Suessholtz and wife, Elisabetha
[238] Aug. 9	Peter Stro and Maria	Henrich	Henrich Schwalbach
[239] Aug. 9	J. Cunius and Catharina Elisa	Anna Margaretha	J. Adam Dillo and wife, Anna Margaretha
[240] Aug. 9	Caspar Bucher and Catharina	Maria Elisa	J. Schmidt and wife, Maria Elisabetha

[Rev. Mr. Weiss died in Aug., 1761. This is stated in a letter of David Schultze, Esq., to Mr. Daniel Rundle, dated Febr. 3, 1776, in which he writes: "Anno 1761 in August their said minister, Geo. Mich. Weiss, died." See *Penn Germania*, Vol. I (1912), p. 365.]

<i>Date</i>	<i>Parents</i>	<i>Children</i>	<i>Witnesses</i>
[1] Sept. 16	Andreas Graeber and Ann Maria	Henrich	Henrich Bitting
[2] Oct. 7	Jost Wiandt and Barbara	Anna Maria	Anna Maria Wiandt

[It is not known who officiated at these two baptisms in 1761.]

[VI. MARRIAGES BY GEORGE MICHAEL WEISS, 1747-1761.]

Those persons who, from the year 1747 to the year 1758, have been married by Mr. George Michael Weiss, V. D. M.:

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| [1] John Neiss and Catharina Hahn | [11] Jacob Ried and Magdalena Leidich |
| [2] George Neiss and Anna Dotter | [12] J. Zirkel and N— |
| [3] Jacob Arend and Anna Elizabeth Geiger | [13] Benedict Schwob and Susanna Welcker |
| [4] Abraham Arend and Catharine Ried | [14] Dietrich Welcker and Sara De Haven |
| [5] J. George Leidich and Catherine Arend | [15] Philip Wentz and daughter of Ulrich Hartman of Schipbach ^a |
| [6] John Schicher and Catherine N— | [16] Stoffel Wagner and second daughter of Bastian Schmid of Schipbach |
| [7] John Gressman and widow Hauk | [17] J. Brenneman and N— |
| [8] John Gressman's son and — | [18] Benjamin Sommer and Anna Maria Scholl |
| [9, 10] John Gressman's two daughters and — | |

- [19] J. Denig and Elizabeth Eichel
- [20] Jacob Riedi and Susanna Gucker
- [21] Andreas Ohl and Eva Gucker
- [22] Peter Beissel and Maria Schwenk
- [23] N. Ohl and Elisa Barbara Gucker
- [24] Michel Welcker and Anna Maria Ried
- [25] Theobald Wink and Cretha Ried
- [26] J. Adam N. and Maria Magdalena Beissel
- [27] Michel Ried and Anna Maria Mauer
- [28] Michel Schell and Catharina Lauer
- [29] John Schell and Veronica Mauer
- [30] David Haag and Elisa Catharina Wagenseil
- [31] Melchior Schultz and Catharina Kahlbach
- [32] Adam Hillikas and Catharina Bitting
- [33] Peter Hillikas and Barbara Hornberger
- [34] Philip Huth and Eva Weiss
- [35] John Huth and Barbara Zimmerman
- [36] J. Arendt Weiss and Susanna Huth
- [37] Georg Schley and Catharina N—
- [38] Caspar Berend and Elisa Lena Wannemacher
- [39] Hennerich Berendt and Anna Maria Luer
- [40] Harmon Luer and Katharina Kieffer
- [41] J. Luer and Barbara Weber
- [42] Jacob Fischer and Hannah Dankler
- [43] Roland Jung and Catharina Fischer
- [44] Henrich Hass and N. Jung
- [45] J. Huebner and Anna Dotter
- [46] Jacob Zimmerman and Sophia Wigand
- [47] Abraham Segler and Barbara Moll
- [48] Henrich, a blacksmith, and Elizabeth Moll
- [49] Daniel Hamm and Anna Maria Segler
- [50] Wendel Lemli and Scharl. M. Wigand
- [51] Jacob Weidknecht and Creth [Margaret] Boehm
- [52] Antoni Hamser and Anna Marg. Raubenbusch
- [53] Benedict Strohm and Anna Maria N—
- [54] Andreas Maurer and Maria Barbara Steinman
- [55] Paulus Rothaermel and Maria Cretha Mauer
- [56] J. Schmidt and Gertrude N—
- [57] Leonhardt Griesemer and N. Leveber
- [58] Georg Lauer and Maria Barbara N—
- [59] Michel Roeder and Catharina Erb
- [60] Henrich Lobach and Margaretha Roeder
- [61] Michel Stab and Catharina N—
- [62] Mathys Reicherdt and Creth Hillikas
- [63] Nicolaus Jeger and Anna Hillikas
- [64] J. Kiefer and Barbara Hillikas
- [65] Wilhelm Gedman and Susanna Jekel
- [66] Andres Greber and Anna Maria Bitting
- [67] Ulrich Greber and Creth Labar
- [68] Peter Laub and Creth Muss
- [69] Carl Doerr and Christina Muss
- [70] John Dankel and N—
- [71] Hennerich Mueller and Gertrude Diefendoerffer
- [72] Nicolaus Ohl and Anna Marg. Diefendoerffer
- [73] Gabriel Klein and Elisabetha Dorothea Bitting
- [74] Alexander Diefendoerffer^a and Gertrude N. [Leidig]
- [75] Fridrich Lang and N. Scholl
- [76] Christian Mueller and Elisabeth Wetzler
- [77] Jacob N— and Veronica Wetzler
- [78] J. Haag and Anna Marg. Wetzler
- [79] Peter Wetzler and Creth Eberhard
- [80] J. Mecklin and Creth Kehler
- [81] N. Weitzel and Barbara Kehler
- [82] Andreas Muehlschlaegel and Anna Maria Emet
- [83] Henrich Kumpf and Catharina Emet
- [84] Michel Eberhardt and Catharina Bleyler
- [85] Peter Bleyler and Hannah N—
- [86] Philip Vackenthal and Elisabeth Bleyler
- [87] Ulrich Hornecker and Barbara Eberhard
- [88] Ulrich Hornecker and Creth Eberhard
- [89] Valentin Keiser and Barbara Huber
- [90] H. Heger and Eva Huber
- [91] N— and Creth Huber
- [92] Nicolaus Mombauer and Magdalena N—
- [93] J. Adam N— and Creth Hitz
- [94] Jacob Huber and Elisabetha Samsel
- [95] Henrich Huber and Barbara N.
- [96] Philip Schmidt and Creth Doerr
- [97] J. Goetz and Catharina N.
- [98] N. Zimmermann and Jacob Hoffman's daughter
- [99] N. Zimmermann and Jacob Hoffman's daughter
- [100] Of the Henerichs in Schipbach several have intermarried
- [101] J. Oftengraff (Op ten Graf) and N. Oftengraf
- [102] Abraham, a tailor, and N. Hamman
- [103] Henrich Bartholome and Elisa Barbara Erb
- [104] J. Reiswick and Creth Erb
- [105] N. Dickenschitt and N—
- [106] Henrich Frey and N—
- [107] J. Schmidt and N—
- [108] Conrad Moll and Elisa Barbara Hill
- [109] Georg Weidner and Catharina Moll
- [110] N— and Anna Marg. Moll
- [111] Diel Neiss and N. Hahn
- [112] Salomon Rockenstuhl and widow of Grossjockel
- [113] J. Adam Schneider and N. Levan
- [114] J. Brobst and Jacob Levan's oldest daughter
- [115] Ludwig Workman and Catharina Braun
- [116] Richardt Klein and Elisabeth Horneck
- [117] Georg Hertzel and Catharina Neiss
- [118] Andreas Workman and Catharina Frey
- [119] Mathys Brickerdt and Maria Elisabetha N.
- [120] Andres Niet and Catharina N.
- [121] Georg Edelman and N—
- [122] J. Mueller and N—
- [123] Marcus Wannemacher and N—
- [124] J. Schmidt and Anna Margaretha N—
- [125] Lorentz Bamberger and Scharlotta N—

- [126] J. Kugeler and Catharina Bamberger
 [127] Jacob Hildenbeutel and Anna Maria N—
 [128] J. Button and N. Klein
 [129] Widow Fried and her servant
 [130] Simon Hirsch and Maria Elisabeth Lawar
 [131] Philip Boehm and Elisabeth Cath. Mom-bauer
 [132] Philip Jans and Barbara Detweiler
 [133] Jost Keller and Hannah N.
 [134] Johannes Schneider and Catharina Dieringer
 [135] Johannes Jost and Creth Schneider
 [136] J. Koster and John Johnson's daughter
 [137] N— and Bastian Schmidt's daughter of Schipbach
 [138] N— and Brenneman's daughter of Schipbach
 [139] Georg Meyer and Weideman's oldest daughter
 [140] Philip Henrich's second son and N. Johnson
 [141] J. Georg Linckheimer and N—
 [142] Jacob Schaefer and Catharina, widow of Henrich Bitting
 [143] Abraham Schreiner and Anna Maria Schmid
 [144] Samuel Somani and N. Greff
 [145] N. Henrichs and N. Gottschalk
 [146] N— and a daughter of the young Gottschalk
 [147] N— and a daughter of the young Gottschalk
 [148] 1. Son of Leonhardt Hennerichs and daughter of Paul Hennerichs
 [149] 2. Son of Leonhardt Hennerichs and daughter of Paul Hennerichs
 [150] 3. Son of Leonhardt Hennerichs and N—
 [151] Son of Paul Hennerichs and daughter of John Frey
 [152] N— and daughter of Christian Weber of Madetschi
 [153] Son of Kaiser of Madetschi and N—
 [154] N— and daughter of Jost Becker
 [155] Son of John Frey and daughter of Paul Hennerichs
 [156] Son of Felix Lee and N—
 [157] Servant of Uly Stauffer and his maid servant
 [158] N— and daughter of W. Keiber
 [159] N— and oldest daughter of Mathys Ochs
 [160] N. Obenbeck of Cockscreek and N.
 [161] J. Weitzel and daughter of John Gressman
 [162] John, son of Philip Zimmer and daughter of Kilian Zimmerman
 [163] Son of Lorentz Hennerichs and N. Gottschalk
 [164] Third son of Lorentz Hennerichs and N— of Madetschi
 [165] W. Weitzel and N— of Dinikum
 [166] Henrich Gremmeling and Catharina, stepdaughter of Georg Heilig
 [167] N— and Catharina, daughter of Philip Zimmer
 [168] N— and daughter of Kilian Zimmer-man
 [169] J. Weiss and N—
 [170] Jacob N— and Anna Weiss
 [171] N— and N. Weiss
 [172] Henrich N— and Anna Maria Gemehli
 [173] Henrich Huber and Christina N—
 [174] Caspar Huber and Anna N—
 [175] N. Weiss and N—, widow living at Hosensack
 [176] J. Schlosser and N—
 [177] Thomas Koch and N—
 [178] Abraham Lucken and Margareth Frey
 [179] J. Hoffman and Catharina Zimmerman
 [180] Caspar Hoffman and Dorothea Lieser
 [181] Henrich Schmidt and Rachel Denny
 [182] J. Seller and Nany Johnson
 [183] Baltasar Rabanus and Elisabetha Kremer
 [184] Christian Buhler and Sarah Huntzberger
 [185] Melchior Schultz and Catharina Kohlbeck
 1758.
 [186] Jan. 7 J. Adam Eckman and Christina N—
 [187] Jan. 26 Balthasar Stiel and Christina Wickerd.
 [188] Jan. 26 Johann Jacob Mueller and Margaretha Eckerd.
 [189] Febr. 7 Johannes Schwenck and Anna Cath. Christ. Huber.
 [190] March 6 J. Martin Mueller and Catharina Gruen.
 [191] March 30 Matthys Rittenhausen and Catharina Von Vasen
 [192] March 28 Georg Schill and Eva Marg. Kraessler.
 [193] March 4 Philip Heiss and Susana Schmid.
 [194] March — J. Jacob Huber and Anna Cath. Kehler.
 [195] March 26 Wilhelm Mueller and Catharina Schultz.
 [196] April 20 Joseph Schmidt and Catharina Frey.
 [197] April 18 Johan Adam Willauer and Anna Maria Linn.
 [198] April 11 Johan Peter Seib and Anna Maria Erb.
 [199] May 2 Georg Reinheimer and Maria Cath. Suessholtz.
 [200] May 30 David Brunner and Maria Landess.
 [201] June 6 Paul Schwanger and Barbara Biseker.
 [202] June 27 David Schultz* and Elisabetha Lar.
 [203] July 15 Henrich Fritz and Maria Anders (?)
 [204] Sept. 26 Mathys Kern and Veronica Weidman.
 [205] Oct. 19 Georg Gangwehr and Maria Melchior.
 [206] Nov. 14 Andres Beyer and Philipina Wigand.
 1759.
 [207] Jan. 4 Wendel Reiniger and Anna Marg. Mey.

- [208] Jan. 9 Joh. Christ. Kahlbach and Anna Cath. Fabian.
 [209] Jan. 18 Jacob Griesemer and Catharina Hahlmann.
 [210] Jan. 27 Valladin [Valentin] Schillig and Maria Elis. Moll.
 [211] April 3. Joseph Eberhardt and Catharina Siegel.
 [212] April 5 Henrich Huber and Anna Cath. Huber.
 [213] April 17 Jacob Beyer and Anna Maria Worth.
 [214] April 15 J. Zeller and Anna Barbara Jeckels.
 [215] April 20 Sylvanus Mabury and Le Miatta de Blema (?).
 [216] June 26 Andreas Haag and Christina Hinderleiter.
 [217] Aug. — Peter Sell and N—— Allwein.
 [218] Sept. 27 Peter Mauerer and C. Berst.
 [219] Oct. 9 Peter Kumpf and Eva Elisabetha Kiefer.
 [220] Oct. 8 Johan Fischer and Catharina Gabel.
 [221] Oct. 26 Jacob Wetzel and Anna Maria Hag.
 [222] Oct. 23 Peter Weber and Anna Marg. Kayser.
 [223] Nov. 13 Johannes Wiehn and Appolonia Moll.
 [224] Nov. 18 Daniel Gicherdt and Barbara Mosser (?).
 [225] Nov. 20 Peter Samsel and Maria Catharina Sem.
 [226] Dec. 18 Henrich Jacob Rauch and Magdalena Kierner.
 1760.
 [227] Jan. 8 Ludwig Bieder (?) and Margaretha Fischer.
 [228] Febr. 5 Johannes Meyer and Esther Contir.
 [229] Febr. 26 Michael Roeder and Barbara Meyer.
 [230] Febr. 28 Wilhelm Rittenhaus and Margaretha Umstett.
 [231] March 25 Hartman Leibenguth and Anna Barbara Hornberger.
 [232] April 15 Johann Michel Seib and Anna Barbara Eidel.
 [233] April 17 Jacob Kuester and Elisabeth von Vossen.
 [234] (?) J. Georg Lahr and Catharina Fink.
 [235] Nov. 21 Jacob Wittner and Margaretha Fink.
 [236] Oct. 28 J. Christian Scheitt and Maria Elis. May.
 [237] Nov. 25 Philip Lahr and Elisabeth Mack.
 [238] Nov. 25 J. Henrich Stedler and Anna Catharina Mack.
 [239] Nov. 26 Johann Fridrich Reiss, Lutheran minister at New Goshenhoppen, and N——.
 [240] June 17 Johann Jacob Dankel and Elisabeth Roeder.
 [241] June 19 Simon Conrad Grineus and Anna Marg. Rab.
 [242] Oct. 14 Casper Bucher and Catharina Wannenmacher.
 [243] Dec. 14 Johann Michael Hettenbach and Anna Maria Dahl.
 [244] Nov. 25 Johannes Mauerer and Anna Marg. Ohl.
 1761.
 [245] May 12 Johann Philip Dosch and Veronica Eberhard.
 [246] May 12 Georg Fischer and Anna Barbara Eberhard.
 [247] May 19 Johannes Wetzel and Eva Meyer.
 [248] May 13 Philip Hahn and Anna Marg. Hiester.
 [249] June 16 Johannes Eberhardt and Cath. Elisabetha Ried.

VII. CATECHUMENS OF THE REV. GEO. M. WEISS, 1748-1761.

From the year 1748 to the year 1758 the following persons have been admitted to the Holy Communion for the first time by me, George Michael Weiss, V. D.M. [Verbi Divini Minister]:

Jacob Ried
 Catharina Ried
 Jacob Schneider
 Sara Schneider
 Veronica Schneider
 Creth Schneider
 Susanna Schneider
 Anna Maria Moy
 J. Moy
 Anna Maria Hiester
 Anna Maria Wegelin
 Elisabetha Wegelin
 Sara Gerkess
 Elisabetha Gerkess
 Hoffman's five oldest daughters
 Philip Zimmer's sons
 David and a daughter
 Elisabeth Ried

Anna Maria Ried
 Eva Ried
 Sophia Mauer [er]
 Veronica Mauer [er]
 Barbara Mauer [er]
 Jacob Mauerer
 Andreas Mauerer
 Jacob Mauerer
 Mathys Mauerer
 Peter Mauerer
 Rudolf Mauerer
 John Mauerer
 Maria Eva Mauerer
 John Mauerer
 Elisabetha Mack
 Catharina Mack
 Creth Mack
 Creth Fischer

- John Fischer
 J. Georg Fischer
 Sophia Wigandt
 Philipina Wigandt
 Daniel Schwartz's two oldest daughters
 Cath. Holtzhacker
 Barbara Moll
 Elisabetha Moll
 Cretha Moll
 C. Moll
 Stotfel Moll
 Michel Moll
 Andreas Jung
 J. Wannenmacher
 Anna Lena Wannenmacher
 Elisa Barbara Wannenmacher
 Philip Berendt
 Michael Kolb
 Joseph Kolb
 Andres Holtzhauser
 Jacob Holtzhauser
 Creth Holtzhauser
 Michel Roeder
 Maria Creth Roeder
 Catharina Roeder
 Elisabetha Roeder
 J. Wendel
 Georg Peter Hillikas
 Conrad Hillikas
 Barbara Hillikas
 Philip Huth
 John Huth
 Elisabetha Schmid
 Henrich Rauch
 Elis. Christman
 Susanna Christman
 Maria Barbara Steinmann
 Creth Welcker
 John Welcker
 Catharina Stapp
 Creth Fink
 Elisabetha Fink
 Catharina Berendt
 Anna Maria Lur
 Barbara Lur
 The three oldest daughters of the old Stein-
 man
 Elisabetha Steinman
 Elisabeth Steinman
 Catharina Steinman
 N. Jung, daughter of H. Jung
 Catharina Wannenmacher
 J. Wilhelm Beissel
 Maria Magdalena Beissel
 J. Ried
 Elisa Barbara Gucker
 Eva Gucker
 Susanna Gucker
 Philip Boehm
 Creth Boehm
 Ludwig Hersch
 Henrich Hersch
 Creth, maid servant of Reider's
 J. Leonhardt N—
 Creth Mueller
 Christina Muss
 Ludwig Bitting
 Henrich Bitting
 Anton Bitting
 Anna Maria Bitting
 Elisabetha Bitting
 Anna Marg. Dieffendoerffer
 Gertrudt Dieffendoerffer
 Godfried Dieffendoerffer
 J. Dieffendoerffer
 Elisabetha Rieser
 Maria Elisa Rieser
 Valentin Kaiser
 Anna Maria Kaiser
 Barbara Kaiser
 Anna Maria Linn
 Catharina Erb
 Elis. Barbara Erb
 Creth Erb
 Eva Erb
 Lorentz Erb
 Caspar Erb
 Ludwig Erb
 Joseph Eberhard's five sons
 Joseph Eberhard's five daughters
 Michel Eberhard's daughter
 Hennerich Bleiler
 Michel Bleiler
 Peter Bleiler
 Elisabetha Bleiler
 Catharina Bleiler
 Hanna, Peter Bleiler's wife
 Susanna, H. Bleiler's wife
 J. Siegel
 Ullerich Spinner's son
 Creth Huber
 Susanna Cath. Huber
 J. Huber
 Michel Huber
 J. Jacob Dandel
 J. Dandel
 Hanna Dandler
 Anna Marg. Dandler
 Michel Raudenbusch
 Peter Raudenbusch
 Georg M. Raudenbusch
 David Raudenbusch
 Jacob Wetzel's three daughters
 Jacob Wetzel's two sons
 M. Kehler's two daughters
 M. Kehler's son
 Scharlotta Herd
 Eva Herd
 Grossjockel's son
 Grossjockel's daughter
 Creth Willauer
 Anna Maria Willauer
 J. Adam Willauer
 Anna Maria, maid servant of Conrad Zimmer-
 mann
 Johannes Dubs
 Peter Lauer
 Georg Lauer
 Elisabeth Zimmermann
 Veronica Zimmermann
 Catharina Zimmermann
 Michel Zimmermann
 J. Zimmermann
 Peter Scholl's two oldest daughters
 Kilian Russ
 Georg Russ

Elisabetha Russ
 Balthasar Lamper's sister's daughters, Elisabetha, Barbara
 Sebastian Schmid's son
 Sebastian Schmid's three daughters
 Jacob Bruner
 David Bruner
 J. Bruner
 Andres Beyer's son
 Andres Beyer's daughter
 The old Dreher's two sons
 The old Dreher's daughter
 Creth May
 Catharina May
 J. Faust
 N. Faust
 Ulrich Herzel's six sons
 Kilian Zimmerman's three daughters
 Cath. Huber
 Maria Barbara Huber
 Elisabeth Brand
 Catharina Brand
 Maria Cath. Suessholtz
 Cath. Schroemling
 J. Goetz and his wife
 J. Georg Steinman
 Stoffel Walberdt
 Catharina Moll
 Conrad Moll
 Henrich Bingeman
 Gertrandt Bingeman
 Elisabeth Lawar
 Margaretha Lawar
 J. Kunius
 Abraham Ditloh and wife
 Henrich Mombauer
 Elisa Cath. Mombauer
 Abraham Faust's son
 Hitz's second daughter
 Samsel's two sons
 Samsel's daughter
 Catharina Mack
 J. Stab
 Leonhard Griesemer's wife
 J. Denich
 C. Lutz
 Philip Henrich N——'s three sons
 Jost Keller
 Barbara Sem
 Henrich Arndt
 Sophia Dotter
 Anna Dotter
 Catharina Hahn
 Nany Dotter
 Christian Lehman's three sons
 Christian Lehman's daughter
 Andres Weiss's two daughters
 N. Herp and wife
 Jacob Gruben's daughter
 Anna Maria Emet
 Christiana Emet
 Catharina Emet
 Georg Emet
 Jacob Danner's four sons
 J. Danner's daughter
 Michael Stepp's wife
 Catharina Lauer
 Henrich Mueller

Conrad Huth
 Conrad Huth's two sisters
 Peter Stedler
 Susanna Stedler
 Anna Marg. Stedler
 Michael Burkardt
 J. Adam Burkardt
 Christian Lawer
 Abraham Schellhammer
 Catharina Schellhammer
 Mr. Haack of Maxatani, three daughters and son
 Jacob Hildenbeitel and wife
 Handwerk's wife
 Henrich Eckman
 Elisabetha Lichter
 J. Herp
 Andres Herp and wife
 Catharina Hilli
 Adam Hilli
 Catharina Dieringer
 Manenschmidt's wife of Maxatani
 Son of Mr. Kutz of Maxatani
 Eva Lehmann
 Jacob Weidman's sister
 Peter Beissel's servant Jacob
 Ulrich Hartman's of Schipbach two daughters
 Catharina Bitting and her sister
 Maria Schmid
 W. Keiber's two daughters
 1758.
 Alexander Diebendoerffer
 Philip Bitting
 Felix Linn
 Susanna Cath. Roeder
 Anna Maria Schambach
 J. Georg Fischer
 Anna Marg. Fischer
 Johannes Fischer
 Barbara Moll
 Elisabeth Moll
 Catharina Moll
 Apollonia Moll
 Stoffel Moll
 Henrich Moll
 Peter Moll
 Elisabeth Mack
 Catharina Mack
 Anna Marg. Mack
 Anna Marg. Welcker
 John Welcker
 Maria Cath. Suessholtz
 1759.
 Andres Ried
 Michel Hillikas
 Johannes Hillikas
 Elisabetha Bankens
 Joh. Steinman
 Cath. Schmid
 Anna Maria Rieser
 John. Peter Eberhardt
 Anna Cath. Siegel
 Maria Elisa Fink
 Catharina May
 Eva Meyer
 J. Georg Mack
 Anna Maria Mack
 Elisabetha Kolb

Elisabeth Mauerer
 Anna Marg. Mauerer
 Anna Maria Mauerer
 Catharina Mauerer
 Jacob Segler
 Johannes Segler
 1761.
 Jacob Becker
 Jacob Wigandt
 Peter Pannebeck
 Georg Kolb
 Michael Kolb
 Jacob Welcker
 Nicholas Nickum
 Anna Maria Pannebeck
 Marg. Suessholtz
 Anna Maria Geri
 Anna Sophia Ludwig
 Sophia Fischer
 Barbara Lawar
 Anna Maria Weber

Anna Marg. Aleigod (?)
 J. Lee
 Johannes Huester
 Daniel Huester
 Benjamin Schueler
 Catharina Zimmerman
 Conrad Leydich
 Susanna Mack
 Jacob Becker
 Anna Maria Mombauer
 Elisabetha Fink
 C. Faust
 Jacob Bischoff
 Susanna Bischoff
 N. Bischoff
 J. Peter Bitting
 J. Weiss
 J. Reiswick
 Catharina Mucker
 Anna Eva Hillikas

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS ENTRIES OF JOHN HENRY GOETSCHY, 1735-38.

- [1] List of members who have died during my ministry:
 MDCCXXXVII—
 18, December, Jacob Knopf died. His age, 75 years.
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 2, March, John Georg Pfalzgraff died, son of Georg Pfalzgraff, his age 2 years, 5 months.
- [2] List of couples who have been married in New Goshenhoppen:
 1735, Dec. 21. Daniel Schwartz and Eva Marg. Raderli.
 1736, June 22. Georg Meyer and Maria maker, and Christine Herzel, daughter of Mr. Herzel of Schipbach.
 1736, June 2. Georg Meyer and Maria Gerwegen, daughter of Hans Gerwegen of Goshenhoppen, both single.
- [3] List of the new communicants, who have been instructed by me, Henrico Goetschio, and admitted to the holy communion for the first time and thus have entered into the Christian congregation, October 10, 1736:

- Hans Adam Hilligas, son of Fred Hilligas.
 Anna Maria Galman, daughter of Henr. Gallman.
 Anna Marg. Raehder, daughter of the late Adam Rader.
 Anna Maria Knopf, wife of Leonhard Knopf, who came over from the Schwenkfelder faith into our most holy Reformed faith.
 Eva Marg. Hut, daughter of John Hut.
- [4] List of the men who have served under me, J. Henrico Goetschio, V. D. M., as elders of the congregation:
 A°. 1736, April 25, were elected as elders:
 Johannes Steinmann.
 Johannes Bingemann.
 J. Georg Welcker.
 Heinrich Galmann.
 A°. 1738, January 1, were honorably released from the duties of their office:
 Johannes Steinmann.
 Heinrich Gallmann.
 In their places were elected:
 Benedict Strom.
 Philip Emert.

IX. SUMMARY OF THE HISTORY OF CONGREGATION:

1727, October 12. First communion service held at Goshenhoppen by Mr. Weiss. (See letter of John Philip Boehm, dated November 12, 1730.)²⁸
 1727-1730, May. Ministry of Rev. George Michael Weiss.
 1730-1734, July. Ministry of Rev. John Peter Mueller.
 1735, July-1740, Oct. Ministry of John Henry Goetschy.
 1741, Aug.-1744. Supply of Rev. Peter Henry Dorsius, pastor of North and Southampton, Bucks Co.

1745, July-1748. Ministry of Frederick Casimir Mueller.
 1747-1761, Aug. Ministry of Rev. George Michael Weiss.]

NOTES.

(1) This is most likely George Shamboh (Schambach), who married first Elizabeth Boehm, daughter of Rev. John Philip Boehm. She died May 17, 1756. See David Shultze's Diary, in *Dotterer's Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, p. 41.

(2) Peter and Philip Wentz were sons of Peter Wentz, Sr. Peter Wentz, Jr., being born Nov. 19, 1719, died September 13, 1793; Philip Wentz, born October 1, 1722, died December 30, 1803. Buried in private cemetery in Skippackville, together with their parents and other members of the Wentz family.

(3) The name of Philip Wentz's wife was Appolonia Hartman.

(3) Nicolaus Ohl was married twice. His first wife died, according to Shultze's Diary, on June 29, 1752. See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, p. 12.

(5) David Shultze notes in his diary that Alexander Diebendorffer, probably identical with the above, died November 29, 1768. See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, p. 173.

(6) This is David Shultze, the well-known surveyor, scrivener and law adviser of Upper Hanover township, in the Perkiomen Valley. He was born in Silesia, Germany, on September 13, 1717. He came to America in 1733, leaving Rotterdam June 24, 1733, and arriving in Philadelphia September 28, 1733. In 1745 he married Anna Rosina Beyer. She was murdered on June 14, 1750 (while her husband was away from home), by Ulrich Seiler,

a laborer, who was in their employ. (Recorded in Franklin's *Pennsylvania Gazette* of October 25, 1750.) The murderer was executed on November 14, 1750. (See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. I, p. 80; Vol. III, p. 1.) As the above entry shows, Mr. Shultze married a second time on June 27, 1758. A daughter, Magdalena, was born to him November 5, 1759. See "Shultze's Diary" in *Perkiomen* married Samuel Lobach in 1785 and died November 30, 1830. See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, p. 163.

(7) Philip Lahr worked for two and a half years for David Shultze and is repeatedly mentioned in his diary. See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, pp. 43, 124.

(8) George Pfalzgraf, Sr. died at Falkner Swamps in June 1757, according to the diary of David Shultze. See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, p. 93.

(9) The wife of Benedict Strohm died in April, 1757, according to Shultze's Diary. See *Perkiomen Region*, Vol. III, p. 91.

(10) This letter of Boehm is printed in the *Journal of the Presbyterian Historical Society* Vol. VII (March, 1913), p. 35-60. For the above date see especially p. 56.

A Page from History

Copy of an Agreement Found in the Garret of No. 30 Front Street, Schenectady,
May 29, 1912

Memorandum of an agreement made the first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-six, by and between the Honorable Philip Schuyler, Esq., Major General in, and commanding the Force of the United Colonies in the Northern Department of the one part, and Ahashuerus G. Marselis and Jacob S. Vrooman of the Township of Schenectady, carpenters, and the several persons whose names are hereunto subscribed and seals affixed of the second part:

The said parties of the second part, each for himself, doth hereby promise and agree that they will respectfully, immediately repair to Fort George, Tyconderoga, or such other place in the provinces of New York or Quebec, as General Schuyler shall direct, and there employ themselves in building and constructing such and so many bateaus or other vessels or buildings as by said General Schuyler or such person or per-

sons as shall be by him appointed to superintend the said Business shall be directed or required employed continue each day at their said work and employment between the times following to-wit: To begin their work at sunrise and continue at it till sunset (excepting one hour for breakfast and one and one-half hour for dinner). That each of them shall and will find and provide necessary tools and implements for the construction of the said work.

And that if any of the said parties of the second part shall leave the said work and go from the said post at which they shall be employed, without the leave of the commanding officer of such post first obtained, the party so going off shall forfeit all his wages which shall thus be due to him. In consideration of whereof General Schuyler promises and agrees that the said parties of the second part shall have and receive the wages following, viz: The said

Ahashuerus G. Marselis and Jacob S. Vrooman at, and after the Rate of ten shillings each, and every of the other of the said parties of the second part or to and after the rate of eight shillings New York currency for every day they shall be in actual employ on and about the said business—and that over and above these sums they shall severally receive one pound and one-quarter of a pound of pork or beef and one-half pound of flour per day, four pints of peas per week, one pint of molasses per week, half a pint of rum per day. That the said wages shall commence on the day on which they respectively leave Schenectady—That after completing the said work they shall be allowed two days—for returning if at Fort George, four days if at Tyconderoga, and for any further distance from Albany at the rate of twenty miles per day.

And it is further agreed between the parties to these presents—that if it should happen that any of the parties of the second part should be taken sick during the time which they are employed as above, they shall not be entitled to wages for the time they abstain from working by reason of sickness, unless the commanding officer of the post where they shall be stationed, shall on application to him made, refuse to discharge the person taken sick, and then they shall be entitled to wages from the Time of such Refusal.

Ph. Schuyler, (L.S.) Jacob Schem-

merhorn (L.S.) John B. Wendell, Joseph Gordon, Samuel Warn, William Gordon, John W. Hall, Frederick Clute (x his mark), Jacob A. Vrooman, Garret Van Schayeck, Samuel Shelley, Christopher Felthousen, Jacob S. Vrooman, Ahashuerus Goncalus, Simon T. Van Antwerp, Johannes Clement, Arendt S. Vedder, Jesse Peek, Robert Alexander, Martin Van Slyck, Simon Degraff, James McMichael, John J. Vanepps, Abram Truax, Jr., Takerus Vanderbogart, Johannes H. Veeder, Andrew Groot, John Peeck, John Stevens, Andrew Lansing (x his mark), Benjamin Van Vlack, Francis Veeder, John Meseles, Ruckert Vfranken.

Sealed and delivered by General Schuyler in presence of r.h. John Lansing, Jun Jer Lansing.

The persons whose seals are hereunto after affixed and names subscribed agree to become parties to the above agreement and hereby subject themselves to every clause therein contained and are to receive five shillings per day—they are to be employed as now given.

Jacobus Van Sice (x his mark), Hendrick Charles (x his mark), Cornelius P. Van Slyck, Cornelius Van Sice.

Sealed and delivered by the parties of the second part in the presence of Mr. Chris. Yates, Henry Glen."—Contributed by Mrs. Anna Hill Roberts, historian, Schenectady Chapter, Schenectady, N. Y.

Chapter regents are most earnestly requested to interest their Chapters in the following and to help bring this patriotic project to a successful finish.

The Presidential collection of china at the White House is a patriotic work in which every member of the Daughters of the American Revolution should be interested. The ultimate object is to have the collection representative of every Presidential family who has occupied the White House. At this time the collection contains some one or more pieces of china or plate which was owned by every President of the United States with the exception of President William Henry Harrison, President Zachary Taylor, President Van Buren, President Tyler and President Johnson. It is earnestly desired to complete the historic collection and the Daughters of the American Revolution are invited most cordially to write Mrs. Wilson at the White House if they know of any descendants of these five Presidents who now possess any relics suitable for the White House collection, sending the names and addresses of any such descendants that they may be communicated with on the subject.

GENEALOGICAL DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Amos G. Draper, Editor, Kendall Green, Washington, D. C.

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ANSWERS.

1278. WILLIAMS.—In glancing over an old magazine, the name of Williams struck my eye. My wife's great grandmother was Mary Williams, b. May 24, 1770, and may have been the one mentioned. She m. Bartlett Wall, presumably a son of Thomas Wall of North Kingston, R. I., and named one of her sons William, and another, Williams. In 1790, the family was living in Uxbridge, Mass. (Worcester Co.) just north of the Rhode Island line, and subsequently moved to Penna. Mary Wall, dau. of Bartlett and Mary (Williams) Wall, used to relate that her maternal grandfather fought in the Revolution; and that one of her uncles on her mother's side was in the Wyoming Valley at the time of the massacre, July 3, 1778, and was never heard of afterward.—*S. Judson Stark, Pittston, Pa.*

2485. CARTER—PHILLIPS.—George Carter, son of Joseph and Ann Pines Carter, and grandson of Capt. Thomas Carter of White Chapter Parish, Lancaster Co., Va., whose will was probated there Dec. 19, 1791, named wife, Ellen, in the will, son Joseph, daughters Jane Berry, wife of George Berry, and Ellen Phillips, and grand-daughter, Katy Chinn Carter. Authority "The Descendants of Capt. Thomas Carter," by Dr. Joseph Lyon Miller. —*Blanche M. Haines, M.D., 115 Main St., Three Rivers, Michigan.*

2593. STARK—LUCÉ.—See answer to 2743 in this issue.—*Gen. Ed.*

2630. HULL.—Elias Hull, b. Apr. 13, 1748, m. (1) Mary Campbell; m. (2) Cynthia Carpenter of Charlestown, N. H. ab. 1795, (who is buried in Charlestown,) and died at Lemp-

ster, N. H. in 1834. He was an Ensign in the Ninth R. I. Continentals, under Col. Varnum from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1776; was Ensign of R. I. Line in 1777; Lieut. 1st Continental Battery from Feb. 1777 to April, 1778; was on the pension rolls from 1832 until his death. He was the son of Stephen (b. 1715) and Martha (Morey) Hull; Stephen is said to have served in 1757 at the Alarm for the Relief of Fort Wm. Henry; (Martha Morey was the dau. of Joseph and Mary Morey) and a descendant of the Rev. Joseph Hull who settled at York, Me., was the first minister at Weymouth, Mass., and for whom the town of Hull, Mass. was named. The intermediate generations lived in R. I. Elias and Mary (Campbell) Hull had a son, Horace, who was b. 1781, and d. in Charlestown, N. H., in 1865. Horace m. (1) Feb. 16, 1806 at Charlestown, Tryphena Downer (1780-1819) and (2) Polly Hill, b. 1795, m. Sept. 16, 1833, d. Aug. 1869. Tryphena Downer was the dau. of Abraham and Lois Abels Downer of Wethersfield, and was my great grandmother.—*Miss S. Abbie Spooner, Regent Old No. 4 Chapter, D.A.R. Charlestown, N. H.*

2697. (3) PITTMAN.—James Pittman had a brother, Philip, and he, not James, had the daughter, Grace, who was my grandmother.—*Mrs. J. D. Tweedy, Dawson, Ga.*

2732. (2) MOORE.—Joseph Moore, born Feb. 1740, wife, Sarah, born Mch. 29, 1754. The above dates are taken from a family Bible which was presented by Thomas Meriwether, a cousin, to the Emory College, Oxford, Ga. From the Va. State Library, I found that "the name of Joseph Moore is found on a manuscript list of Va. Rev. troops of the State Line etc., preserved in the Va. State

Library, known as 'War Vol. 5,' and on page 132." Joseph Moore lived in Prince Edward Co., Va. at the time of the Revolution, and two ladies have entered the D.A.R. on his service, Nat. Nos. 82234 and 82501.—*Mrs. Sarah S. Sheffield*, Columbus, Miss.

In the record of Old Briery Church, Prince Edward Co., Va., we find that Joseph Moore, and wife, Sarah, joined the church "before the Revival of 1780," and after their names is the note "r to Geo." which means, I infer, "removed to Georgia." This church was formed between 1755 and 60, and was among the first Presbyterian churches in Virginia.—*Gen. Ed.*

2743. STARK.—Col. John Stark of Morris Co., N. J., was not related to Gen. John Stark of N. H. He was a great grandson of Aaron Stark of New London, Conn., the emigrant ancestor of the family. The line is Aaron, Aaron, Aaron, John (the Col.), Aaron, the father of Col. John Stark was b. Groton, Conn., 1678, where he married; subsequently moving to N. J., where he owned a large tract of land upon which he settled as a farmer. On May 29, 1744, he was a resident of Flanders (Roxbury) Morris Co., N. J. John, his son, was b. in 1730, m. Mary Dilla, and d. in 1825. He was a Col. in the Rev. According to tradition he lived at one time on Seneca Lake, but I doubt this. John and Mary had the following children: Reuben, b. Apl. 17, 1706, m. Sarah Hopkins, d. 1836; John, m. Catherine Reed; Aaron; Susan, m. Matthias Luce; Mary, m. Robert Carlisle; Sarah, m. John Carr; and Anna, m. Isaac LeFevre. As I am compiling a Stark Genealogy, I would be glad of any missing data as to dates of birth, marriage or death, or ch. of whom in any of the above names.—*S. Judson Stark*, 11 Luzerne Ave., Pittston.

There was also a Capt. John Stark of Vermont, whose widow, Eunice, received a pension (W. F. 25130) and from the Pension Office we glean the following:

Captain John Stark, Colonel Fletcher's regiment, Vermont Line, was at Battle of Bennington, and received there a wound in his knee, for which he was pensioned in 1795 until his death, from the kick of a horse, September 26, 1806, in Grand Isle County, Vermont (to which place he had moved from Pawlet, Vermont). The papers in his case have been lost—presumably destroyed at the time of the burning of Washington by the British in 1814.

February 15, 1837, Eunice Stark, a resident of Milton, Chittendon County, Vermont (90 in 1837) applied for a pension under Act of July 4, 1836, and deposed that she was the widow of John Stark, who was a Captain in the militia and as a volunteer went to Ticonderoga and had the command of two Companies there before the evacuation of that place. He also commanded two companies at the Battle of Bennington where he received a wound, with which he was some time confined; immediately after his recovery he again entered the service as Captain and

served at Saratoga under General Gates and remained in the service until winter.

The next season he entered the service early in the spring and did not return home until fall; was stationed most of the time at Castleton, she thinks.

In 1795 Captain Stark obtained a pension of \$60 a year in consequence of the wound received at Bennington.

She was married to Captain John Stark in Canterbury, Connecticut by Rev. James Cogsdell, a settled minister of that town, in the 18th year of her age, but does not remember the day nor month; has sent to Canterbury, but no record nor memorandum has as yet been discovered; nor does she now recollect any person now living who was present at her marriage.

Deposed also that Captain John Stark died at South Hero, Vermont, September 26, 1806, and she has ever since remained his widow.

Eunice Grant of Milton (upwards of 60 years of age) testified that she was the daughter of John Stark, late of South Hero, Vermont, and Eunice Stark, late of South Hero, now of Milton; his widow. At the time of the breaking out of the Revolutionary War her father and mother and three or four children resided in Pawlet—her father and mother had thirteen children, one older and eleven younger than herself; that her father and mother always lived together as man and wife from her earliest recollection to the time of his death etc.

Sarah Hyde of Milton, 68 years old, deposed that she was the daughter of John and Eunice Stark; that there are two children, a son and daughter, older than herself, and ten younger, making thirteen in all; that at the time of the Battle of Bennington she was about nine years old and remembers that he was wounded in said battle.

Altea Blowers, of Milton, 46 years old, deposed that she was the youngest daughter of John and Eunice Stark; was born in Pawlet, Vermont, and was present at her father's death, etc.

BENJAMIN ADAMS, of Milton, formerly of South Hero, 71 years old, testified to his knowledge of the family for 40 years.

Later, February 25, 1837, Isaac Clark, town clerk of Canterbury, Connecticut, deposed that on the records of the town of Canterbury, he finds the record of the marriage of John Stark and Eunice Adams, April 16, 1764.

ALPHEUS HALL of Milton (80 years old April 4, 1837) deposed that he was in the militia service in 1781 in Col. Fletcher's regiment and knows that John Stark was a Captain in that regiment.

ELIAS HALL of Castleton, Rutland County, 83 years old, October 3, 1836, deposed in 1837 that in 1781 he was a Lieutenant in Samuel Fletcher's regiment, Captain JAMES BROOKINS. John Stark belonged to said regiment and was the Captain of a Company.

Feb. 19, 1839. SAMUEL STARK of Oswego, Oswego County, N. Y., 79 years old, deposed that he was b. in Canterbury, Connecticut;

moved into Pawlet with family when about 6 years of age; that his father was Captain and went with Company to Skeensborough (now White Hall) about 20 miles from Pawlet. Served two months.

In July, 1777 he went with his Company to Hubbardston to assist Col. Warner; that his Company did not reach Hubbardston until after the battle and Warner was on the retreat; that his father retired with his Company together with Warner's regiment to Manchester, Vermont, and remained there until a short time before the battle of Bennington; was in that battle . . .

In 1779 his father proceeded to Castleton, Vermont, and joined Col. Fletcher's regiment; served 9 months.

In 1780-1 he was stationed at Fort Castleton with Captain Hutchin's Company and during and after these regular terms he was frequently called out for short terms; that in the last four terms of service he, Samuel Stark, was with his father as a private.

ISAAC PERRY, of Oswego, New York, 78 years old, deposed that in July, 1777, he served in a Company Commanded by JOHN WARNER, of Bennington, in Col. Herrick's regiment and that John Stark was then a Captain in the same regiment with him (Col. Herrick's).

Chauncey L. Knapp, Acting Secretary of State of Vermont, November 9, 1841, deposed that there is a pay-roll of Capt. John Stark's Company in the battalion commanded by Col. Samuel Fletcher, &c., and George R. Thompson, Deputy Secretary of State, January 26, 1855, testified to the same and to the service in Ira Allen's regiment.

February 2, 1846, Altea Blowers, adx., deposed that her mother died January 29, 1843, and that

Samuel Stark, Eunice Grant, Abigail Harvey, Lucy Marvin (or Marble), Sybel (or Sibyl) Denio, Polly Quigley, Catharine Phelps and Altea Blowers are the only surviving children. (Evidently Sarah Hyde must have died between 1837 and 1846 B. M. D.)

In 1847 an attorney writes, asking that the entire pension be paid the adx. and states "Mrs. Stark died, leaving considerable property," &c.

October 30, 1856, Altea Blowers wrote the Pension Office about the arrearages still due and stated "My father was such a patriot that it would have required a strong cord to have held him from serving his country, as the Rev. Asahel Lyon said when he preached his funeral sermon and that not only his family but the public sustained a great loss in his death. . . . He served as a Major in the Bennington Battle and a Major's Commission was made out for him and the Governor urged him to accept it, but he declined, saying he had done the service and the commission would do him no good. He was wounded in Bennington battle with a ball lodged in his thigh; he concealed it from his men until they discovered by his blood, and they exclaimed 'Why, Captain Stark, you are wounded.' He went till he could go no farther and a Major Smith and an officer by the name of Putnam bore him off

the field. He told them to let him be and see to the battle. They took him where he would revive." Claim allowed and paid.—*Gen. Ed.*

2782. CHEATWOOD-COTTRELL.—It is to be hoped that when the book by Mr. McAllister on the Va. Militia appears, these questions can be answered. Information has just been received that it was delayed in order to obtain a list of the Revolutionary Militia Officers and the dates of their appointment and qualification in about twenty counties, the publishers wisely deciding that the delay was justified by the additional material which could thereby be added. It is now promised, ready for shipment July first, as well as his Index to Saffell.—*Gen. Ed.*

2789. The Regent of the Molly Aiken Chapter, D. A. R., *Mrs. Cora Baker Hunt*, of Antrim, N. H., writes that Antrim claims the honor of having had the last survivor of the Revolution. Samuel Downing, died Feb. 19, 1867, aged 105 years, 2 months, and 21 days.

2803. DILDANE-HANKINSON.—*Mrs. Wm. S. Meek*, 143 DeHart Place, Elizabeth, N. J., writes in answer to N. V. S.: "There were many Hankinsons who fought in the Revolution from New Jersey. I am a descendant of Capt. Kenneth Hankinson of Col. David Forman's Battalion of Col. Nathaniel Heard's Brigade, June 16, 1776. He was made Capt. of the first regiment of Monmouth in 1777; m. Eleanor, dau. of Col. John Covenhoven, who was President of the Provisional Convention of N. J. which formed the Constitution of the state which remained in force until 1844. His brothers were: James, Captain in Col. Walton's Light Dragoons; John, Capt. in Waddell's first reg't of Monmouth; Reuben, Capt. in Walton's Light Dragoons; and William, Capt. in Walton's Light Dragoons. I know nothing of the descendants of Capt. Kenneth Hankinson's brothers; but as they were all from Monmouth Co. information could easily be obtained there. My line from Capt. Kenneth Hankinson is as follows: Capt. Kenneth Hankinson who m. Eleanor Covenhoven (or Conover) their son, James, who m. Sarah Dunham; their dau., Eliza D., who m. James Newell; their son, Dr. Azariah Dunham Newell, who m. Elizabeth McIntyre; their dau. Adelaide, who m. William S. Meek. I cannot give any information in regard to the Dildanes.

2813. (3) DUELL-STARKS. Nathan Stark died in Guilford, Vt., in 1830, aged 87 yrs. He m. (1) Esther Morgan of Groton, Conn., by whom he had eight ch.; she died ab. 1781, and he m. (2) Esther Gallup in 1782, by whom he had eight ch. also. He was a Rev. soldier, was at the battle of Bennington, Vt., was a pensioner in Conn. up to 1818, and in 1819 was residing in Mass. His ch. by (1) wife were: Deborah, b. Apr. 26, 1766, m. Ezra Duell; Olive, b. Mch. 24, 1771; Abijah, b. Jan. 30, 1768; Nathan, Morgan; Sarah, d. unm.; Jedediah, m. Betsey Crouch Dec. 21, 1797; Eunice, b. Feb. 19, 1781, m. Timothy Stoughton; by his (2) wife, he had: Daniel, b. Mch. 4, 1783; John, Catherine, Polly, Abraham, m. Rhoda; Joseph, b. Oct. 18, 1794, m. Susanna

Ingalls; Jemima and Patience. Nathan was the son of Daniel and Judith Stark, who lived in New London, Conn., where Daniel d. prior to 1758; the grandson of Wm. who m. Elizabeth and d. in Groton, Conn., Sept. 8, 1730; and great-grandson of Aaron, the emigrant (1608-1685) who served in the Pequot and Narragansett Wars.—*S. Judson Stark, Pittston, Pa.*

2818. SAWYER-RUGG, Samuel Sawyer of Lancaster, Mass., who m. Deborah Rugg, and had eight ch., one of whom, Elizabeth (or Betsey) m. Silas Wilder, was b. 1697, and has no Rev. record. His son, Samuel Sawyer, b. 1740, was a Capt. in the Rev. and my ancestor.—*Mrs. John A. Morse, Bath, Me.*

2820. WILSON. *Miss Cora C. Curry*, Gen. Editor of the Penn Germania, sends the additional information in regard to James Wilson, Signer of the Declaration, that he was b. in 1742, in Scotland, near St. Andrews, and died Aug. 28, 1798, at Edenton, N. C., and was buried in the little cemetery near the home of his colleague, Justice Iredell of Edenton. His wife was buried in the little plot south of old Christ's Church, Phila., and Nov. 22, 1906, memorial and re-commitment services were held by the S. A. R. on the removal of his remains to Old Christ's Church-yard, where his remains now rest beside hers.

2840. WILDER-WHITCOMB. *Mrs. John A. Morse*, Bath, Maine, suggests that L. P. H. consult the Vital Records of Lancaster, Mass., of which Bolton was formerly a part; and the Gen. Editor suggests reference to the comprehensive genealogy of the Whitcomb Family, published in Minneapolis, Minn., in 1904, and compiled by Charlotte Whitcomb.

2864. STARBIRD. Since sending in the Query 2864, I find that the name of the wife of Simon Starbird was Betsey Caverly. *Miss Caroline M. Tufts*, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. In the first four volumes of the N. H. Genealogical Record, pub. at Dover, N. H., by Charles W. Tibbits, I find the following references which may be aids in the search for the Starbird Family. "John Starbird was b. Feb. 7, 1755," from the Durham (N. H.) town records; "Oct. 13, 1748, Mr. Will Caverly was married to Mrs. Margaret Hue, both of Portsmouth." (The above was taken from the church records of Newington, whose first pastor, Rev. Joseph Adams, b. Braintree, 1688-9, accepted a call to Newington in 1715, and continued pastor until 1783, when old age compelled him to retire after sixty-eight years of consecutive service). "Oct. 26, 1828, Lydia Caverly was married to Mr. John B. Burleigh (both of Newmarket, N. H.) by the Rev. John Osborne of Lee, N. H., who also m. in 1810, Stephen Hodgson of Madbury, to Sally Starboard of Durham"; "Jan. 27, 1780, Stephen Starboard m. Lydia Nayler, both of Rochester" by Rev. Joseph Haven.—*Gen. Ed.*

2876. (2) EASTHAM.—Frances Eastham probably belongs to the Eastham Family of Va., which originally settled in King and Queen Co., Va. Unfortunately all the records of that county were destroyed in the Civil War. Rachel Eastham, who m. in 1716 John Rogers,

was the daughter of one of this family who married Mary Bird. Her descendants settled in Warren and Clinton Counties, Ky. (See Robertson Genealogy p. 227.) It is possible that the county records of Culpeper or of Orange Co. (from which Culpeper was formed) might throw light on the ancestry of Frances Eastham.—*Gen. Ed.*

2884. (4) FOREMAN.—"John Foreman served in the Rev. war in Capt. Barron's Co. of Bedel's regiment, and was also employed on account of his knowledge of the French language in special service in Canada, particularly to visit the settlements along the St. Francis and the St. Lawrence Rivers, going with a scouting party in 1779 and 80." Above is copied from the history of Newbury, Vt., p. 546, published in 1900 by F. P. Wells, and sent to the magazine by *Mrs. Dixie Cornell Gebhart*, 1121 Montgomery St., Knoxville, Iowa.

2893. SELSER.—George Selser, Selsus, Selzer, etc., was in Chester Co. as early as 1774, according to the Penna. Archives, Third Series, where he is recorded in Vol. XII, pp. 45 and 661, as a freeman and inmate in 1774 and 1781. He was a private in Capt. Joseph Mendenhall's Co., Third Battalion, Chester Co. Militia, commanded by Lieut. Col. John Hannum, in 1780, 81 and 82. (See Pa. Archives, Fifth Series, Vol. V, pp. 566, 570 and 575) and in 1785 took up land in Washington Co., where Isaac Newman had already taken up land a few years before. (Pa. Archives, Third Series, Vol. XXVI, p. 606.)—*Gen. Ed.*

2901. (4) SANDERSON.—There was a George Harrison who took up land in 1737 in Lancaster Co. and was probably the same one who was taxed there in 1779, in the town of Lancaster as a coppersmith. A man of same name, and probably the same person, took up land in Cumberland Co. and was taxed there in 1785. If these references belong to the same person, he would have been too old to have served in the Revolution, although as he was living in 1785, he might have done some patriotic service.—*Gen. Ed.*

2901. (7) HARRISON.—It is possible that Mrs. Rich will find in the History of Rockingham Co., Va., just compiled by John W. Wayland, Ph.D. (a book of 473 pages) what she wishes. The two volumes of Records of Augusta Co. (otherwise known as "Chalkley Manuscripts") to which I turn for Rockingham Co. data, and which usually supplies my need, makes no mention of Bathsheba Harrison; nor are the references to Wm. Neill sufficiently full to make me sure it is the one desired.—*Gen. Ed.*

2901. (13) STEELE.—There was a Jane Steele who was appointed adx. of the estate of Nathaniel Steele of Augusta Co. in 1806. It is possible that she may have been the mother of Jane (Steele) Crockett. When the third volume of the "Chalkley Manuscripts" appears, which is promised for July or August, there may be a record of the ancestry; as I understand that there are a great many wills in the third volume.—*Gen. Ed.*

2902. RANDOLPH.—Robert Randolph, Captain and Aide-de-camp to Gen. Wayne, was b.

1760, and d. Sept. 12, 1825, in Fauquier Co., Va. He m. Elizabeth Hill Carter (dau. of Charles Carter, of "Shirley," and sister of Gen. Robert E. Lee's mother). He had a son, Charles Carter, who m. Mary Anne Fauntleroy (See Vol. I., D. A. R. Lineage Book) and a dau., Eliza, who m. Thomas Turner (See Vol. VI, D. A. R. Lineage Book).—*Gen. Ed.*

2907. REYNOLDS.—There was a John Reynolds who died in 1787, at Northcastle, Westchester Co., N. Y., who was a scout and minute-man during the Revolution. He m. Rebecca Rundell, and had a son, Solomon, who m. Abby Miller, and possibly others. (See Vol. XXIII, D. A. R. Lineage Book).—*Gen. Ed.*

2908. HARRISON—SLAUGHTER—WOOD—TYLER.—Matthew Harrison came of a prominent family in Augusta Co. and is frequently mentioned in the "Chalkley Manuscripts." He was Capt. of a militia Co. in 1769 (evidently raised to fight the Indians) and was commissioned Justice of the Peace for 1771, 72, 73, 74 and 75. The last two years he did not qualify. He is not mentioned among the Rev. soldiers; but Charles Tyler is given in the List of Va. Rev. Soldiers, prepared by Va. State Library, p. 447, as one of those who filed a claim for Bounty Land, which was refused for some reason, not stated in the book. There was also a Charles Tyler, possibly the same man, who was Ensign of the 11th Va. regiment, from Nov. 25, 1776, to Dec. 23, 1777, when he resigned.—*Gen. Ed.*

2917. SMITH—DAVIS.—There is always a great deal of doubt about the exact service to give to a man with such a popular name as "John Smith" unless one has a pension application, or some other family paper to identify the service. There is, however, in Pa. Archives, Fifth Series, Vol. VI, p. 656, the following note, which seems to suit the description given by P. M. "Carlisle, 24th of January, 1789. Recd. from Capt. John Johnston a certificate amounting to eleven pounds five Shillings specie for my Tower as Lieut. in the Cumberland County Dragoons in the year 1782. John Smith."—*Gen. Ed.*

2918. (2) HICKS.—There was a Wm. Hicks of Goochland Co., Va., who was a Rev. pensioner. Write to the "Commissioner of Pensions, Washington, D. C.," and you will receive an abstract of his application for pension. If you find upon investigation that he was not the man, it is possible that information may be given by the State Librarian, Richmond, Va. (fee \$1.00). I cannot tell without an examination whether all the references given in the List of Va. Rev. Soldiers, p. 216, pertain to one and the same man or not.—*Gen. Ed.*

2923. INGRAHAM—BLAKE.—A certified copy of the letter of Duncan Ingraham, Jr., referred to by D. G. I., would be sufficient to enable his descendants to enter the D. A. R. or any other patriotic society of similar nature.—*Gen. Ed.*

2929. HUNT—MILLER—BRITT (BRETT).—There was a Wm. Hunt who served in the Rev. from Ga. His name is given in the Third

Smithsonian Report, but there is no additional information in regard to him.—*Gen. Ed.*

2930. MCQUEEN—WATERMAN.—There was a James McQuean who served in the Second regiment of the Albany Co. Militia; but no further particulars are given about him. (See N. Y. Archives, p. 99).—*Gen. Ed.*

2934. GIBBONEY—FERREE.—John Gibboney, a corporal in the Seventh Pa. Regiment, was a corporal in Capt. Robert Wilson's Co. Jan. 10, 1777. (See Pa. Archives, Fifth Series, Vol. III, p. 224). He was b. in Lancaster Co., Pa., 1749, and died in Bedford Co., Pa., Feb. 22, 1831. He m. Elizabeth Ferree, and a descendant has entered the D. A. R. on his service, through the son, Benjamin, who m. Margaret Kendall.

Jacob Ferree, father of Elizabeth (Ferree) Gibboney, was b. ab. 1730 in Lancaster Co., Pa., and d. there in 1782. He m. (1) Barbara Carpenter; m. (2) Mary —. He is buried in the Carpenter Burying Ground at Lancaster Co., Pa. He d. intestate, leaving a wife, Mary, and three children by his (1) wife. (See Penna. German for Feb., 1910, p. 69). His ch. were Elizabeth, who m. John Gibboney (See Vol. XXII, D. A. R. Lineage Book); Susanna, who m. James Boyd, and Emanuel.—*Gen. Ed.*

2935. (3) TRAYLOR.—All the records of Henrico, Va., before 1810, have been destroyed, with the exception of the land patents. These have never been published; but contain much valuable genealogical information, according to the author of the Barclay Genealogy, who made a study of the Va. records.—*Gen. Ed.*

2936. McNUTT—ANDERSON.—No service for George McNutt is given in the Va. List of Rev. soldiers. It may be found when McAllister's book on Va. Militia is issued. He was living in Augusta Co. in 1779, for according to Vol. I. of the Chalkley Manuscripts, a boy was bound out to him that year. It is possible that the History of Rockbridge Co. mentioned in Answer to Query 2901 (7) in this issue, may give the desired information.—*Gen. Ed.*

2938. WATSON.—Douglas Watson m. Margaret Park, dau. of James and Mary Park, and their dau. Margaret m. Oliver Porter in 1793. (See Vol. XIII, D. A. R. Lineage Book). They had also a son, Joseph, who m. Catherine Bonar; a dau., Anne, who m. Mr. Baldwin; and a son, William, who m. Martha Moland Mabey. He was a Lieut. in the Rev. from Va. See Va. Rev. Soldiers, p. 460.—*Gen. Ed.*

2940. (3) MONTGOMERY.—Rev. Joseph Montgomery was the son of John Montgomery, who with his wife, Martha, emigrated to this country and settled in Lancaster Co., Pa. He died before the Revolution. (Kelker's History Dauphin Co., Pa., Vol. III, p. 538.) Mrs. Samuel McCorkle was the mother of Samuel Eusebius McCorkle, the Rev. patriot and preacher of N. C. In Rumble's History of Rowan Co., N. C., p. 169, this statement is made: "Gen. Davidson (who was killed at the Battle of Cowan's Ford, Feb. 1, 1781) was killed in Dr. Samuel E. McCorkle's great coat,

which he had borrowed the day before." When Dauphin Co. was formed from Lancaster Co. Rev. Joseph Montgomery (whose second wife was a sister of Benjamin Rush, the Signer of the Declaration of Independence) became its first register and recorder; and also was a Justice of the Court of Common Pleas. In 1785, the presbytery of Newcastle reported that in consequence of Mr. Joseph Montgomery's having informed them that through bodily indisposition he was incapable of officiating in the ministry, and having also accepted an office under the civil authority, they have left his name off their Records."—*Gen. Ed.*

2942 (4) BRACE—REYNOLDS.—Henry, Robert and William Brace, all of Albany Co., are mentioned in Robert's Archives of N. Y. as serving in the County Militia. I find no mention of Orange Brace; but as Genesee Co. was formed from Ontario in 1802; and Ontario Co. was formed from Montgomery (formerly called Tryon) Co. in 1789, and Tryon from Albany Co. in 1772, it is quite possibly the same family.—*Gen. Ed.*

2944. BRACEY—GREGG.—The only man by name of Bracy (or Bracey) mentioned in the list of Va. Rev. Soldiers, is John Bracey. See, however, answer to 2782 in this issue.—*Gen. Ed.*

2946. (5) LUMM—LOVETT.—There was a John and a Joseph Lumb, who are mentioned in the Va. Rev. Soldiers as serving in the Revolution; and also a Richard and a Wm. Lovett, and a Joseph Lovett, who are mentioned in the same book.—*Gen. Ed.*

2947. RAY—HUDDLESTON.—According to Pa. Mag. of Hist. & Biog., Vol. IX, p. 353, George Clymer, Signer of the Declaration of Independence, b. Phila. 1739, was the only surviving child of his parents, Christopher and Deborah (Fitzwater) Clymer. His mother was buried May 6, 1740, having lost her only dau., Elizabeth, three months before; and his father was buried July 27, 1746. He m. in Phila., Mch. 18, 1765, Elizabeth, dau. of Reese Meredith (who d. Northumberland, Pa., Feb., 1815) and had eight ch., Wm. Coleman, Julian, Henry, b. 1767, m. Mary William; Meredith, who was a member of the Phila. City Troop, and in 1794 on a campaign against the Whisky Insurgents; Elizabeth, Margaret, who m. George McCall; Ann, who m. 1807, Charles Lewis, and d. at Trenton, 1810; and George, who m. Maria O'Brien. It was not possible, therefore, for either the mother or the dau. of John Ray to have been a sister or m. a brother of the Signer of the Declaration. There are a great many Huddlestons in Bucks Co., where John Ray is supposed to have lived; and it is quite possible that the family intermarried with the cousins (to a more or less degree of relationship) of the Signer.—*Gen. Ed.*

2948. BARTLETT—HALLETT.—Moses Barbour Bartlett is not a descendant of Josiah Bartlett, the Signer. Josiah Bartlett was b. in Amesbury, Mass., in 1728; m. Mary Bartlett, his cousin, and had only three sons—Levi, Josiah and Ezra. The only descendants of Levi Bartlett are Mrs. Levietta B. Connor, a member of the Cincinnati Chapter, D. A. R., and dau., and

Levi Bartlett, who resides with his family in the old Bartlett homestead, in Kingston, N. H. Josiah, the second son, married twice, but d. s. p. Ezra, my great grandfather, had five sons who left issue, none of them by name of Moses, however. A full account of the descendants of Hon. Josiah Bartlett, the Signer of the Declaration, down to the fourth generation, can be found in the October issue of the American Monthly, 1901.—*Gen. Ed.*

2949 (2) STEWART (STUART).—Robert Stuart, of Augusta Co., m. Polly Armstrong Apr. 24, 1792. Robert Stuart and Robert Stuart were sureties at the time. (Probably his father and himself.) For June 21, 1814, Robert Stuart deposes that his father bought three tracts of land in Beverly Manor Mch., 1749, and that he is the devisee of his father. Robert Stuart (evidently the father) was Capt. of Horse in 1755 on the expedition against Duquesne; and Robert Stuart (evidently the son) was a soldier in the Rev. and is mentioned in Va. Rev. Soldiers, p. 422, as one of those entitled to Bounty Land. Polly (or Mary) Armstrong was the sister of William, Samuel and Nancy Armstrong (who m. Hugh Meems and moved to S. C. ab. 1795), and the dau. of Robert Armstrong, who was a fuller, who died in 1786, the last day of December. All the above information is taken from Vols. I and II of the "Abstracts from Augusta Co. Records."—*Gen. Ed.*

2949 (3) GIBBS.—Churchill Gibbs was a private, sergeant and Lieut. under Gen. Gibson of Va. He was also a Rev. pensioner (S. F. 46002). He was b. 1754, Madison Co., Va., and d. May 30, 1846, near the Court-House in Madison Co. He m. Mary Richardson, and had: Jane, b. 1784, m. Wm. Emmett; Penelope, b. 1788, m. Richard Rixey; Judith C., b. 1793, m. Reuben Medley Strother; Mary, b. 1790, m. Benjamin Porter; Cynthia, m. John Bohannon; Eliza, b. 1800, m. Henry Barnes; Charles, m. Mary Truehart; John, who d. unm., and Turner, who was b. 1796. He was taken prisoner at Petersburg, released on parole after two months, and so continued during the rest of the war. He was one of those who greeted LaFayette at Richmond, Va., whose names were copied for a recent number of the American Monthly by the Genealogist, Mrs. Ruth Griswold Pealer.—*Gen. Ed.*

2950. HARRISON.—Benjamin, only son of Benjamin Harrison, of Berkeley (1673-1710) and Elizabeth Burwell, his wife, m. Anne Carter (dau. of "King" Carter) and d. in 1744, while a member of the House of Burgesses. His ch. were: Benjamin; Charles, who m. Mary Claiborne and was Brig. Gen. in the Rev. and had 8 ch.: Henry, who m. Miss Avery, and had 2 ch.; Elizabeth, who m. Peyton Randolph, and d. s. p. Carter Harrison, who m. Susanna Randolph, and had five ch.; (Carter Harrison, former Mayor of Chicago, was a descendant of Carter Henry Harrison); Robert, who m. Miss Collier; and Anne, who m. Wm. Randolph, brother of Peyton Randolph, and had four children.

Benjamin, son of Benjamin Harrison and Elizabeth Burwell, was b. 1726, d. 1791, m. Eliz-

abeth Bassett, and had: Benjamin, who m. (1) Anne Mercer; m. (2) Susanna Randolph; Carter Bassett, who m. Mary Howell Allen; William Henry, President of the United States, who m. Anna Symmes; Lucy, who m. (1) Peyton Randolph; m. (2) Anthony Singleton; Anne, who m. David O. Coupland; Robert, and Sarah, who m. John Minge, and had seven children. Fielding Harrison does not enter into this branch of the Harrison Family at all. For further account of the Harrison Family of Berkeley, see a very careful, painstaking and authoritative article in the American Monthly Magazine for August, 1901, written by Mrs. Sarah Hall Johnston, Compiler of the Lineage Books.—*Gen. Ed.*

KNAPP.—"The question has been asked as to the lineage of Uzal Knapp, Washington's Life Guard. I have just found his grandson, Uzal Knapp Still, who is now living at Middletown, N. Y., and who remembers his grandfather very well, as he lived with him about twelve years at Newburgh. He says Uzal's wife was Abigail Hoyt. In "Stamford Registration" is the record of the family of Uzal and Abigail, which corresponds to what Mr. Still says. The line, therefore, is Nicholas, Caleb, John, John, Nathaniel and Uzal. Nicholas Knapp is the first known Knapp in America and was at Watertown, Mass., Mch. 1, 1631, but who has not been traced to England though several accounts of his lineage have been given by different ones but all proved incorrect."—*H. E. Knapp, Menomonie, Wisconsin.*

QUERIES.

2946. **McCoy.**—Who were the parents of Margaret McCoy, b. 1788, prob. in Pittsburg, Pa., but d. in 1866, in New London, Mo?

(2) **McCREADY.**—Who were the parents of Steward (Stewart) McCready, who was born probably in Pa., married Margaret McCoy, and died prob. in Pa.? Is there Rev. ancestry on either line?

(3) **MEGOWN—CADY.**—John Robert Megown m. Sarah Cady and lived and died in or near Pittsburgh, Pa. Who were their parents, and did any of them have Rev. service?

(4) **LONGWELL—McPHEETERS.**—Robert Longwell m. Isabella McPheeters and had a son, John Kilgore Longwell. Who were their parents? Was Robert's mother, Jane Kilgore, b. Apr. 4, 1772, dau. of Charles Kilgore of Cumberland Co., Pa.? Is there any Rev. record in any of these lines either?

(5) **LUMM—LOVETT.**—Jesse Lumm, of Va., m. Letitia Lovett and had a dau., Nancy Lumm, b. May 30, 1800, in Loudon Co., Va., who m. James Fowler, b. Mch. 20, 1790, in Md. He was the son of James Fowler, and his wife, Mary Ogborn or Ozborn. Is there any Rev. service in the ancestry of either of these families?

(6) **ALLEN—FULLER—FOWLER.**—David Allen m. Amanda Fuller, and their son, Joseph J. Allen, m. Amanda Fowler. Is there any Rev. service in that line?

(7) **DANIEL—SCHROEDER.**—John O. Daniel, b. Sept. 16, 1798, a lawyer of Phila., Pa., d.

July 17, 1833; m. Mary Amelia Schroeder (b. 1800, m. 1818). Did the parents of either of them have Rev. service?

(8) **NEWELL—WYNKOOP.**—Who were the parents of John Newell, who m. Catherine Wynkoop in 1810? Did either ancestor perform any Rev. service?

(9) **ALLEN—STONE.**—Who were the parents of Hugh Banks Allen, b. Sept. 4, 1814, and of his wife, Margaret Stone, b. in Southern Ohio?

(10) **SIGSBEE—COOPER.**—Nicholas Sigsbee, b. July, 1744, m. Mch. 7, 1773, in Albany, N. Y., Cornelia Cooper, b. Dec. 6, 1748, dau. of Jacob and Josina (Orchard) Cooper. He is mentioned in the "First Settlers of Albany." Is he the Jacob Cooper who served in the Revolution from New York? If so, dates of birth and death desired.

(11) **HELLER—BRATE.**—Baltis Heller m. Harriet Brate. Did he have Rev. service?

(12) **EGMONT—LANSING.**—Jacob Egmont m. Anna Lansing Oct. 10, 1716. Wanted dates of birth and death, and Rev. service, if any. Any assistance along any of the above lines will greatly aid applicants for the D. A. R. We are so far away from good genealogical libraries.—*F. E. W.*

2947. **RAY—HUDDLESTON.**—John Ray lived in Bucks or Philadelphia County, Penna. His wife's name was Huldah Huddleston. They had a dau., Huldah, who m. a Mr. Clymer of Bucks Co., a brother of George Clymer, Signer of the Declaration. Their dau., Sarah, was b. July 20, 1788, m. Joseph Shadlinger, and d. Dec. 17, 1853. These are the facts as I remember them; but one of my relatives thinks that Sarah, wife of Joseph Shadlinger, who was b. July 20, 1788, was (before marriage) Sarah Ray, and was the daughter of John and Huldah Ray; and that John Ray's mother was a Clymer, sister of George Clymer, the Signer. How can we ascertain which is right? Was there any Rev. ancestry for Mrs. Sarah Shadlinger?—*H. S. O.*

2948. **BARTLETT—HALLETT.**—Robert Leslie Hallett m. Mary Eliza Bartlett in Kansas City, Mo., ab. 1876. She was the dau. of Moses Barbour Bartlett, said to have been related to the family of Josiah Bartlett, Signer of the Declaration. Can this be proved? If not, can you assist in any way in finding if either of the above mentioned persons are of Rev. stock?—*M. H. H.*

2949. **NIXON—BIRKHEAD.**—Ancestry desired of Johannes Nixon of Fairfax or Spottsylvania Co., Va., who m. B. C. Birkhead.

(2) **STEWART (STUART).**—What was the maiden name of the wife of Robert Stewart (Stuart) of Augusta Co., Va., and the date of their marriage and proof of Rev. service?

(3) **GIBBS.**—Name of wife and dates of birth and marriage of Churchill Gibbs of Virginia desired.

(4) **MEDLEY.**—Official proof of service of Reuben Medley of Madison Co., Va.

(5) **BLANKS.**—Ancestry desired of Joseph Blanks, of Pittsylvania Co., Va., desired.

2950. **HARRISON.**—Children desired of Wm. Henry Harrison, President of the U. S., and of his father, Benjamin Harrison, Signer of

the declaration. What relation to them was Fielding Harrison, whose dau. Mary m. William Hulls? Was there Rev. service on the side of Fielding Harrison?—*W. E. B.*

2951. PRATT—WILSON.—Information desired of Lemuel Pratt, who m. Lydia Wilson, dau. of Lucas Wilson and his wife, Sarah Corbin, whom he m. at Rehoboth, Mass., March 29, 1759. Lydia Pratt, dau. of Lemuel, m. James H. Humphrey Feb. 1, 1808. In the year 1787-8 Lucas Wilson and family, Lemuel Pratt and family and Samuel Corbin (brother of Mrs. Wilson) and family moved from Putnam, Vt., to Bainbridge, Chemung Co., N. Y., bringing their goods on an ox sled. Did either of them have any Rev. service?

(2) WRIGHT.—William Wright, born in Scotland, came to Norwich, Conn., in early life and later moved to Carmel, N. Y., where his daughter, Ruth (later wife of Caleb Hazen), was born. Wm. Wright was private in Col. Ludenton's Co. of Dutchess Co., N. Y., and later moved to Middletown, Orange Co., N. Y. Dates of birth and death, and name of wife desired.

(3) ANDREWS.—Information desired of Isaac Andrews. Tradition claims him not only as a Rev. soldier but as a private Secretary to George Washington. He was b. Scotland, and in early life was a sailor, later a surveyor; married Mabel —, and both of them are buried in the same plot in Chemung Co., N. Y. Official proof of his services desired, that the chapter may pay proper honors to a man who now lies in an unmarked grave.—*M. T. N.*

2952. COOKE—ROSE.—Edward Cooke, of Cooks Point, Md., m. Hannah Rose ab. 1840. Who were the parents of Hannah Rose, also of Edward Cooke?

(2) WHEEDEN—BELASH.—James C. Wheeden, of Balt., Md., m. Jane Belash ab. 1830. Who were the parents of Jane Belash?—*O. C. C.*

2953. TUTTLE—DUTTON.—Deacon Clement Tuttle, b. Torrington, Conn., June 29, 1756, m. Abigail Dutton Dec. 7, 1785. She was the dau. of John Dutton. Was he a Rev. soldier? Clement Tuttle served, and his descendants are admitted on his record to the D. A. R.

(2) RAY.—William Ray, of Va., is said to have served under Anthony Wayne. Can this be proved? The family came from Va. to Ky., thence to Butler Co., Ohio, and then to Vigo Co., Ind., where they now live on land their grandfather took up.—*C. W. R.*

2954. ENNIS—DECKER.—Cornelius Ennis (Ennes) son of Wm. Ennis, was b. Sandyston, Sussex Co., N. J., Nov. 5, 1761, m. (1) Miss Decker, 1781, and had three ch.; m. (2), 1799, Deborah Clark, and had no issue. Wanted, name of first wife, of all three ch. and Rev. service, if any, of Cornelius Ennis.

(2) Levi Ennis, oldest son of the above Cornelius, was b. Mch. 23, 1782, m. 1808, Mary Adams, dau. of James and Sarah Ann (Dunn) Adams. Cornelius and his family came to Standing Stone, Bradford Co., Pa., in 1815, where he died Mch. 27, 1836, and his wid., Deborah, d. in 1858, aged 83 years. Levi died there Jan. 13, 1858, leaving five ch. and his

wid., Mary, b. Dec. 8, 1788, d. Sept. 4, 1869. Wanted, dates of birth, marriage and death of James Adams, father of Mary Adams Ennis, with Rev. service, if any. He, also, died in Standing Stone, Pa.—*B. A. J.*

2955. LIVINGSTON—SPRAKE.—Seth Livingston, a Rev. soldier, m. Mary Sprake. Can anyone give me the dates of their birth, death and marriage? Did they have a son, Isaac? If so, did he have Rev. service? Any information regarding these two families will be appreciated.

NEWILL—DARBY.—James Newill m. Susan Darby. Any further information regarding these families will be appreciated. Their home was in Penna.—*J. M. D.*

2956. HELMES—WHEELER.—Can some Conn. or Mass. reader give me any information ab. Robert Helmes, who m. Betsy Wheeler ab. 1795? Who was Robert's father, also who was Betsy's father? Did either of them serve in the Revolution? When and where were they married?

(2) CROWLEY—TODD.—Wanted, names of parents of Walter Crowley and his wife, Mary Todd, who were m. at Mt. Holly, Vt., ab. 1800. Did either of them have Rev. service?—*G. W. F.*

2957. GILBERT—FRYER.—Wm. Gilbert was b. Penna. Mch. 1, 1766; m. Margaret Fryer in Jefferson Co., Va., ab. 1796 or 7. What were the names of his parents? Did his father serve in the Revolution, and was his mother a pensioner? She m. (2) Mr. Smith, and survived him, also. Her given name was Brooks, I think, and probably Ruth Brooks. Wm. Gilbert had two brothers, Nathan and Elias, and a sister, Ruth, who m. Mr. Shirley, Margaret (Fryer) Gilbert had a sister, Sarah, who m. John Gaines. What were the names of their parents? Did they serve?

(2) HOUSH—PENTECOST—CRUZEN.—John Housh m. Anna Pentecost in Penna. ab. or prior to the Rev. Was he a Rev. soldier? They had two children, John and Mary. John m. Elizabeth Cruzen in Pa. ab. 1795 or 6, and Mary m. John Evans, also in Penna. They were "Pennsylvania Dutch" descent, and their names may be found in the records under a different spelling. Wanted, ancestry, and Rev. service, if any.—*R. E. C.*

2958. TAPPAN—WEARE.—John Tappan, of East Kingston, N. H., m. Abigail Weare some time previous to 1790. Was she the daughter of Meshech Weare, of Hampton, N. H., first President of N. H. in 1784? What were the dates of their marriage and death?—*H. T. S.*

2959. DAVIS—ARMSTRONG.—Mary Davis, b. 1799 in Baldwin Co., Ga., m. James Armstrong in 1816. She had one brother, Franklin Davis. Wanted, dates of birth, marriage and death, and Rev. service, if any, of the parents of Mary Davis.

(2) BOYETT—LANGLEY.—Isaac Boyett and wife, Mary Langley, moved from N. C. to Hancock Co., Ga. One son, James, b. 1805, m. Palisade Adams in Randolph Co., Ga. Ancestry, with all genealogical data, and Rev. service, if any, desired of both Boyett and Langley families.

(3) **MATTHEWS—HILL**.—James Matthews, b. 1782, and his wife, Sarah, came from S. C. to Bibb Co., Ga. He had a brother, Timothy, who raised Martha, the dau. of James. Martha m. James Hill. Wanted, ancestry with all genealogical data, and Rev. service, if any, of the Matthews Family.

(4) **SMITH**.—Ransom Smith lived in N. C. and, tradition says, fought in the Rev. Wanted, dates of birth, death and marriage, and name of wife, as well as official proof of service.

(5) **COBB—SMITH**.—Jacob Cobb m. Martha Smith in Baldwin Co., Ga., in 1826. She was the sister of Ransom Smith. Ancestry, with all genealogical data, and Rev. service, if any, desired of the above families.—*T. B. R.*

2960. **VAN BUREN—ALLEN—MASON**.—John Van Buren, brother of Martin Van Buren, had a dau., Elizabeth, who m. Wm. Allen. Their dau. m. Wm. Lewis Mason. Her name was Mary Jane Allen. Wm. Lewis Mason was a son of Cyrus and Elizabeth (Lewis) Mason. Had John Van Buren any Rev. record on his father's side? What Rev. record had Wm. Allen or his father? Was Elizabeth Lewis a descendant of a Rev. soldier or patriot?? In what books or records can records of either of these families be found? Had Cyrus Mason, or his ancestors any Rev. record?—*S. A. S.*

2961. **WHITING**.—Wanted, name of wife (and dates of m. and her birth and death) also places of marriage and death desired of Timothy Whiting, b. Lancaster, Mass., 1732, d. 1799; served in the French and Indian Wars and was also at Battles of Lexington and Concord.—*H. B. G.*

(2) **DANFORTH—WHITING**.—Ancestry desired, with all genealogical data, and Rev. service, if any, of Orpha Danforth, who m. in 1784, John Whiting, of Lancaster, Mass. Her father may have been Jonathan Danforth, a Minute Man at Bunker Hill (1736-1802) or Oliver Danforth, of Taunton, Mass. (1743-1828).—*H. B. G.*

(3) Will these queries receive your personal attention as well as appearing in the columns for other subscribers to answer?

2962. Ancestry desired of Moses Richardson and Sophia Foster, his wife, with all genealogical data, and Rev. record, if possible. She was b. Attleboro, Mass., in 1800, and they were married in 1818 (I think, in Attleboro).—*A. M. D.*

2963. **KIDNEY—SPIER**.—Lieut. John Kidney m. Rachel Spier, of Belleville, N. J., Essex Co., and his deeds of daring during the Rev. are recorded in the History of Essex Co., p. 53. What were the names of his children? Did he have a daughter, Sarah, who m. Paul Roome Oct. 12, 1766? He was 1st Lieut. in Capt. Henry Jeralomans Co., 2nd reg't., Essex Co., May 28, 1777.—*L. C. M.*

2964. **HARRISON**.—Wanted name of wife of Benjamin Harrison, who had a son, Henry, who m. Elizabeth Avery, and had a dau. Palatea, who m. George Cabanis. Would also like dates for Henry and Elizabeth Harrison, and any Rev. record about either family.—*T. J. R.*

2965. **WHIPPLE—CARPENTER**.—Job Whipple, b. Mch. 30, 1749, d. Sept. 18, 1832, m. Freelove

Carpenter (b. 1749, d. 1834) in 1772. Their ch. were: Sylvia, b. 1773; Olive, b. 1775; David, b. 1776; Otis, b. 1777; Daniel, b. 1782; Lydia, b. 1784; William, b. 1786; Betsey, b. 1790; Anna, b. 1791. Job Whipple at one time lived in Cumberland, R. I., later moving to New York, and locating either at Greenwich or Saratoga Springs. Did he serve in the Revolution? If so, official proof desired.

(2) **BEERS—WHIPPLE**.—Daniel M. Beers, b. Feb. 19, 1779, m. Olive Whipple Feb. 1, 1801. Their ch. were: David, Sidney, Lydia, Rausler, Harvey, Delia, Archer and Jerome. Olive was a dau. of above Job Whipple, of Greenwich and Saratoga Springs, N. Y. Daniel and Olive Beers lived at Palmyra, N. Y., and moved to Mehoopany, Pa., in 1830. Who were the parents of Daniel M. Beers? Where was he born and did his father serve in the Rev. war?

(3) **THOMAS—BONFIE**.—David Thomas, Sr., m. Penelopie Bonfie and had: Hannah, b. Feb. 12, 1781; David, Jr., b. May 24, 1783; David, the son, lived in Berkshire, Vt., also Kingston, Pa., and m. Hannah Dyer. Did the David, Sr., serve in Rev. war? If so, official proof and all genealogical data desired.

(4) **PRICKET**.—Information desired of Josiah Pricket, who was a Rev. soldier from the western part of the state of Va., with name of wife, and all genealogical data; also official proof of service, if any. He had eleven ch.: Susannah, Ann, Rebekah, Isaac, Sarah, Dorothy, Isaiah, Lydia, Drusilla, John and Job. I have the dates of birth of all of these. They lived in Palatine or Fairmont, West Va., until after the Civil War.—*W. H. S.*

2966. **WALLACE—HULBERT—CLARK**.—Ancestry desired of Seth Wallace, b. Dec. 1, 1761, and of his wife, Ann Hulbert, b. June 5, 1765. They were m. Mch. 20, 1787; had ten ch., were living at Colerain, Mass., Sept. 10, 1795, when their fifth son, Alexander T. Wallace, was born. Alexander m. Susannah Clark in Lenox, Madison Co., N. Y., in 1819 or 20. Did any of these persons, or their ancestors, have Rev. service? If so, what? Ann Hulbert's father was reputed to be an Indian fighter.

(2) **COX—FURMAN—LOGAN**.—Joseph Cox, b. Alexandria, N. J., m. Charity Furman (b. Kingwood, Hunterdon Co., N. J.) at Kingwood, Nov. 9, 1775. Did he, or his wife's father have Rev. service? Have you also any knowledge of Enoch Cox, who m. Isabelle Logan in Mason Co., Ky., Aug. 28, 1810?—*F. C.*

2967. **MANLEY—(MANLY)—FREEMAN**.—Wm. Manley or Manly, of Dinwiddie Co., Va., m. Lucy Freeman and later moved to Ga., where he died. Was he a lineal descendant of Capt. John Manly, a Rev. Naval officer?—*L. D. W.*

2968. **LEE**.—Cader Lee, son of John Lee, of Va., was b. Jan. 6, 1771, in N. C., and m. his first cousin, Sallie Lee. Sallie's father died during the Rev. war and her mother was left a widow with five small daughters (and possibly sons). Cader was the youngest of three sons, John, Hopkins and himself. What relation were either family to Gen. Robert E. Lee, and what service, if any, did the ancestors of either perform in the Revolution?—*A. B. A.*

2969. **COLLINS—PAUL**.—Wanted, dates of

birth, marriage and death of John Collins and Susanna Prael, who lived in South Fayette township, Alleghany Co., Pa. His wife came from Kentucky. John Collins was a son of David Collins and Miss Creighton of the Southern family of that name.

(2) BOYD.—Official proof of service, and all genealogical data, of John Boyd (whose wife was named Nancy), who is buried in or near Somerset, Pa. He had a son, David, who was also a Rev. soldier, and is buried in the old graveyard at Buffalo Village, Washington Co., Pa.—E. W. T.

2970. CALDWELL—WALKER.—Wanted, Rev. service for John Caldwell, who m. Jenett Neely Walker near Louisville, Ky. Either his son or his nephew was George Alfred Caldwell, M. C., who is buried in Cave Hill Cemetery, where a monument is erected to his memory.

(2) ROBINSON.—Rev. services desired of John Robinson, son of John Robinson and Lucy Fell, of Baltimore, Md. He m. Mary Raymond, of S. C., and is said to have fought under Marion. Some of the land on which the city of Baltimore is built was leased for one hundred years from the father of Lucy Fell, but when the time expired the heirs were never able to recover the property.

(3) Ancestry and Rev. service desired of N. P. Willis, the American poet.—H. M.

2971. SWANSON—WEAVER.—Information desired of the parentage of Samuel Swanson and Sarah Weaver, his wife, who lived in Campbell Co., Ga., ab. 1825.

(2) JENNINGS—VARNER.—Information desired of Allen Jennings, who m. Cynthia Varner and lived in Fayette Co., Ga., ab. 1890. Rev. service in either of the above lines is greatly desired.—B. J. P.

2972. BEARD.—Wanted to know the birthplace of Thomas Beard, Sr., who lived in Columbia, S. C., and d. there ab. 1849.

(2) REMBERT—GOYLE.—Wanted, Christian name of the aunt of Gov. Goyle of Ala., who m. a Rembert; also her husband's Christian name, and that of his father.—A. B. W.

2973. PAGE.—Is the Page Genealogy that has recently been received by the Society, and recorded in the Dec.-Jan. number of the American Monthly, a genealogy of the Page Family of Virginia?

(2) SMITH.—Is the Smith Genealogy, mentioned on p. 47 of same issue, an account of the family of Major Lawrence Smith, of Yorktown, or of the Landgrave Smith family of S. C.? If so, can copies of these, as well as of the Lewis family, be bought, and where?

(3) CLAFLIN.—On p. 12 of same magazine mention is made of the Claflin Genealogy. Can this be bought, and for how much?—M. A. W.

2974. BOWEN—WOOD.—Elezzer Bowen, of Rehoboth, Mass., m. Lydia Wood and served in the Rev. He had a son, George, of Gloucester, R. I., who was b. 1747, d. 1831, and m. Inspection Peck. Did he, also, serve in the Revolution?—A. R.

2975. ADAMS.—Who were the parents of Lieut. Col. Peter Adams, of Md., of Rev. fame, and what were the principal events in his history?—L. B.

2976. HUEY—CONNELLY—McAULEY.—According to family tradition, Isaac Connelly kept the Black Horse Tavern in Phila. during the Rev. and was a patriot. He m. (1) Rebecca Garrigues; m. (2) Mrs. Mary Robinson, either a sister or sister-in-law of the first wife; m. (3) in Center Co., Pa., Rachel Huey, whose ancestry is desired. In corroboration of the tradition we find in Penna. Archives the name "Isaac Connelly, inn-holder, on the tax rate for Phila. for 1780"; and in 1790, Isaac Connelly, of Mifflin Co. (adjoining Center Co.). The Census of 1790 shows many families by name of Huey (or Hughey). The Garrigues Family settled in Phila. and were French Huguenots. Isaac Connelly had by his third wife, Rachel Huey, a dau., Sarah, who m. a McAuley, and had a dau., Nancy. The Christian name of Nancy's father is also desired. Had he Rev. ancestry?—F. S. W.

2977. How may one purchase the Index to the N. C. Archives, now being prepared by Mr. Weeks, to which you refer in your columns? Is there any other newspaper giving space to genealogical matter except the *Richmond Times-dispatch* and the *Columbia State* (Sunday edition)?—A. G. R.

2978. TUTT—BROOKS.—Ancestry or Rev. record, if any, of the father or grandfather of William Henry Tutt. He was born about 1821 in Edgefield, S. C., and died in 1860 in Columbia. S. C. Was the son of — Tutt and his wife, Miss — Brooks. This Miss Brooks was of the same family as Preston Brooks, the "States Rights" man, of Edgefield, S. C. Wm. Henry Tutt had brothers, John Wallace and Robert, and a sister, Rebecca, who married Mr. — Wells, their daughter, Mary Wells, married W. R. Hunt, Secretary of State during the latter part of the Civil War. Mrs. Hunt saved the State Records when Sherman's Army was approaching, and also saved the original great seal of the State and the original Ordinance of Secession.

(2) SHUNNARD—TUTT—(COTTON).—Ancestry of Anna Maria Shunnard, born about 1804, in either Fayetteville, Wilmington or New Berne, S. C. She was related to the Cottons. Would like to know if she had ancestors of that name. She married John Hoff, of Holland; the graves of both are in old St. Marks graveyard in New York City. They had children, Julianna Dudley, who married William Henry Tutt. Adaline married Mr. McKenzie, of Columbia, S. C., and Anna, who married Mr. Coates, of N. Y. City.

(3) WARREN—TALBOT.—Ancestry of Philip Warren and Grattis Talbot, his wife (daughter of Mehitable Talbot). They were married April 30, 1807, in Dedham, Mass. Afterwards went to Detroit, Mich., and owned at one time a large part of what is now the City of Detroit. Would like to know if the father of either did Rev. service.

(4) CLAFLIN—SHEFFIELD.—Rev. record, if any, of John Claflin (son of Ebenezer) born July 5, 1750, married Mary Sheffield, of Holliston, Mass., in 1770 or 1771, and settled there on the Sheffield place not long after. Their 8th child, Moses, born 1788, married Lucinda

Clarke and moved to Hubbardston. Will appreciate any Clarke records, also.

(3) SMITH—PAGE.—Rev. records, if any, of Robert Smith, of Yorktown, Va., born 1733, died 1787, or of his son, Dr. Augustine Smith, who married Alice Grymes Page, daughter of Col. John Page (afterwards Gov. of Va.). Were Dr. Augustine Smith and Dr. John Augustine Smith the same? I have been told that Dr. John A. Smith was a surgeon in the Rev. Robert Smith married, first, Mary Calthorpe, second, Rachel Kirby, and his parents were Col. Lawrence Smith and Mildred Reade.

(6) FUQUA—CLARKE.—Ancestry of Archibald Fuqua and Miss ——— Clarke, his wife, of Farmville, Prince Edward Co., Va., about 1820. His father was either Giles or Isham. They were related to the Moseley, Montague, Bayne, Ligon, Slaughter, Ingram and Mumford families.—*M. A. W.*

2979. GEIGER.—Will some one tell me where I can obtain proof of the Rev. service of the husband of Emily Geiger, of Rev. fame? He came from S. C.—*G. J. S.*

2980. MOORE.—Did Matthew Moore, of N. C., father of Gov. Gabriel Moore of Ala., render civil or military service during the Revolution?

(2) MOORE—CLEMENT.—Matthew Moore, mentioned above, had a dau., Elizabeth, who m. Johnson Clement. Did he serve in the Rev. war? Ancestry with all genealogical data of both families desired. Is there a genealogy of the Moore or Clement family of the Carolinas printed?—*A. L. B.*

2981. CARTWRIGHT—GAINES.—Peter Cartwright, an itinerant Methodist preacher of early days in Ill., was b. Sept. 1, 1783, in Amherst Co., Va., on the James River. His father was a Rev. soldier, and after the war moved to Ky., settling on a farm in Lincoln Co. near Lancaster. In 1793 he moved to Logan Co., 9 miles south of Russellville; and in 1802 to Lewiston Co. Peter Cartwright m. Frances Gaines in 1808 in Barrow Co., Ky., and their first ch. was born at his father's house in Livingston Co., Ky., in 1809—in which year the father died. The above information is taken from Peter Cartwright's autobiography; but in all the references to his father he simply calls him "my father," giving no name. Wanted, names and dates of the parents of Peter Cartwright, with any information relating thereto.—*H. L. A.*

2982. EPPES—VAUGHN.—Sarah (Eppes) Vaughn was b. Chesterfield Co., Va., and was either the dau. or grand-dau. of Richard Eppes of Bermuda Hundred. Whose daughter was she, and what was the Christian name of her husband, Mr. Vaughn of Mecklenburg Co.? Did he serve in the Rev. war?—*M. C. D. S.*

2983. MISS A. B., Box H, Corinth, Miss., is very desirous of corresponding with some one who lives near the old cemeteries of Eastern N. C., especially "Old Tyatira," 14 miles from Salisbury; "The Lutheran," ab. 5 miles from Salisbury; and "The Third Creek Burying Ground," ab. 16 miles from Salisbury. Will gladly pay for name or names

found that she wants; she knows the names, but desires dates.

2984. POPE—THOMPSON.—Betsey Pope, who m. Wm. Thompson, a descendant of John Alden, was the dau. of Capt. Gershom Pope of Plainfield, Conn. Rev. service, name of wife, and all genealogical data desired of this Gershom Pope.—*C. H. T. W.*

2985. GOODWIN—WELLS.—Peter Goodwin m. Olive Wells. He was the son of Paul Goodwin of Wells, Me., who served in Capt. Samuel Savage's Co. in 1776, for 8 months; and re-enlis.ed for one year at Cambridge, Mass., and served in N. Y. Our family tradition says that he m. Martha Springes of York, Me. Jonathan, son of Peter, and grandson of Paul Goodwin, m. Betsey Litchfield in Littlefield, Mass.—*E. G. L.*

2986. WALKER.—Name of wife and information concerning the wife of John Walker who settled on Walker's Creek in Rockbridge Co., Va., and who was known as "Gunmaker John."

(2) WALKER—CRAWFORD.—John Walker m. Sallie Crawford in 1797 at Rockbridge Co., Va. She was grand-niece of Earl Crawford of England. Ancestry of John Walker desired.—*L. J. W.*

2987. RICE.—In the Resolutions of Independence of St. Paul's Vestry, Edenton, N. C., appears the signature of David Rice. The same David Rice served as Member of the General Assembly from Gates Co., N. C., in 1789-90. War records give service for a David Rice (residence not stated) from 1777 to March, 1778, as Corporal in Gen. Washington's Guards. Where can I get proof that these men were the same? Also is there any relation between this David Rice and Rev. David Rice, ancestor of Mrs. Roger A. Pryor? David Rice had two daughters, Sally (Sarah) who m. Wm. Creecy; and Elizabeth (Betsy) who m. Nathan Creecy, both sons of Job Creecy, one of several brothers wrecked in a French ship off the coast of N. C. somewhere about 1720. Can anyone tell me the name of the wife of David Rice? and when and where he was married? Also tell me where I can find a Rice Genealogy treating of this family?—*S. M. G.*

2988. TYLER—PAINE.—Mabel Tyler m. ab. Nov. 1, 1749 Seth Paine, Jr., of Pomfret, Conn. Exact dates of birth and marriage, and ancestry of Mabel (Tyler) Paine desired.—*E. N. M.*

2989. HAND—HENDRICKS.—Wanted, ancestry of Charles I. Hand who was b. Va. 1792, m. Elizabeth Hendricks (or Hendrix), moved to Indianapolis, was one of the first settlers there and lived there many years; afterwards went to Ill. where he died and was buried. It is said that his father crossed the Delaware with George Washington. Can this be proved?

(2) FONTAINE (FOUNTAIN).—Ancestry desired of Thompson Fountain or Fontaine who belonged to a family of ten ch. part of them moving to the north and west, and others going south. Thompson Fontaine was born early in the nineteenth century; his father was

a Frenchman by birth, said to have been of a Huguenot family.

(3) JONES.—Wanted ancestry of Wm. Jones who lived in Patrick and Henry Co., Va., most or all of his life. He m. Miss Thomas and they had a large family. Three of his sons served in the War of 1812, and the writer of this query has in her possession a letter written to Elizabeth Crutcher, one of his daughters, telling her of the death in 1813 at Norfolk, Va., of one of the sons.—*M. B. G.*

2990. BANE.—Can you tell me anything ab. the Bane family? In the Annals of Newberry, S. C., Col. Bane is mentioned as a Rev. officer. It is thought that he came to this country from the southern side of the Rhine; had a son, Jacob, who m. Mary —. Any information will be appreciated.—*B. B. B.*

2991. SMITH (SMYTH)—TAYLOR.—Wm. Robinson Smyth b. Mch. 6, 1763, d. Jan. 19, 1833 in Va., m. Martha Taylor Mch. 18, 1790. Ancestry desired, and Rev. service, if any.

(2) SMYTH—GLASS.—John Taylor Smyth (or Smith), son of Wm. and Martha Smith, b. Nov. 2, 1798, in Va., d. Feb. 10, 1835 at Portsmouth, Va., m. Drusilla Glass in Portsmouth, Dec. 27, 1821, who d. Dec. 1886, in Charlotte, N. C. Ancestry, with Rev. service, if any, of Drusilla (Glass) Smith.

(3) SMITH—TRAFTON.—Charles Copeland Smith, son of John and Drusilla Smith, b. Jan. 1, 1832 in Portsmouth, Va., m. in Va. Anne Trafton, Dec. 24, 1856. Ancestry, with Rev. service, if any, of Anne (Trafton) Smith.—*A. T. S.*

2992. COFFIN.—Gilbert Coffin, grandson of Tristram Coffin, had a son, Wm. Barnard Coffin. Did either of them serve in the Revolution?—*F. M. C.*

2993. STEELE (STEEL).—Can you tell me the first name of the General Steele of Penna. who was on Gen. Washington's Staff during the Revolution?—*L. A. W.*

2994. BASS.—Information desired in regard to Samuel Bass, who was taken prisoner after the battle of Horse Neck and put on the prison ship, Jersey, where he was sick for some time.—*O. P. C.*

2995. STIDHAM.—Can you tell me anything about Joseph Stidham of Wilmington, Delaware, who was either Lieut. or Captain in the Haslett regiment raised during the second year of the Revolution?

(2) LARNED.—Can you tell me any particulars ab. Benjamin Larned of Brookline, Mass., who went as a drummer boy at the Battle of Lexington? His name is not given in the Larned Genealogy, and I can not tell to what branch of the family he belongs.—*A. L. D.*

2996. BARTLETT.—Is there a Genealogy of the Bartlett family? If so, where obtainable, and at what price?

(2) FASSETT.—Did Amaziah Fassett fall at the Battle of Bunker Hill? If so, all possible genealogical information concerning him is desired.

(3) BARTLETT.—Rev. record, if any, desired of John Bartlett, son of Nathaniel and Sarah (Thompson) Bartlett, b. Brookfield, Mass.,

Feb. 14, 1736. He is a descendant of Joseph, brother of Josiah Bartlett, the Signer of the Declaration. Name of John's wife, date of marriage, etc., desired. Her first name was Mary.—*J. H.*

2997. MORRIS—JOHN.—Bethuel Franklin Morris, my grandfather, was the son of David Morris, a physician living in Penna., and his wife, Sarah Dodd. Thomas Morris, a brother of David, was U. S. Senator from Ohio. The Morris family came from Wales ab. 1700 and settled in Pa. B. F. Morris' wife was the dau. of Jehu John, who was b. Chester Co., Pa., 1759, m. Elizabeth David in 1781. Jehu John was a Rev. soldier, according to family tradition. Can this be proved?

(2) JOHN—DAVID.—Elizabeth David, wife of Jehu John, was the dau. of Thaddeus David, one of the first Presbyterian preachers in Pa. west of the Alleghany mountains. Did Thaddeus David render any service to the cause?

(3) ANDERSON—PHILLIPS.—Samuel Anderson, b. 1787, m. Sarah Phillips in 1822, and died in Ohio in 1828. Ancestry, with all genealogical data, and Rev. service, if any, desired.—*C. A. H.*

2998. EMLOTT.—Wanted, official proof of service of Paul Emlott (or Emlot) whose wid. Margaret drew a pension until her death ab. 1835 in New York State (Brasher Iron Works, St. Lawrence Co.).—*R. M. T.*

2999. VENABLE—LEWIS—MORTON.—Old Abraham Venable m. a Miss or Mrs. Lewis, and one of their descendants, Elizabeth Venable, m. Josiah Morton, son of Joseph Morton and Agnes Woodson. What was the exact relation between the two couples?—*G. T.*

3000. What is the fee of a town clerk?

(2) Does the N. E. Gen. and Hist. Society require a fee?

(3) Can I have the address of the querist who asks about R. R. of North Carolina?

(4) Where in Delaware was the home of George Read, the Signer of the Declaration?

(5) Dow.—Do you know if Lorenzo Dow was a relative of Neal Dow of Maine?

(6) As I do not take the magazine will you send me word when the answers to these queries appear, or send me a copy of the magazine in which they are answered?—*M. H.*

CORRECTION.

ROSE—BURROUGHS—CLARK—HALL.—In the February issue of the American Monthly there was a misprint in the first part of Query 2759. Hannah Burroughs, first wife of William Rose died in 1794. Instead of the abbreviation "d." the printer put "l." In the second part of the query, there is another mistake, the fault of the writer of the query. Mary Hall, wife of John B. Clark, was often called Polly, not Peggy, as given.

SOUTH CAROLINA REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS.
(Copied and arranged by Mrs. Amos G. Draper,
Genealogical Editor. Continued from
March number

Adair, Josh; with Lacey at Houk's defeat.
Addington, James; Brandon's regiment.

Addington, James; Waters' regiment.
 Addis, Richard; under Capts. Benjamin Jolley and Hughes of Roebuck's regt.
 Addis, William.
 Addison, John; Continental Line.
 Addison, John.
 Addison, Joseph; Pickens' brigade.
 Adier, James.
 Adkins, Bartlett; Capt. James Jenkins' Co., Col. Sam Benton's regt., Marion's brigade.
 Agnew, George; under Lieut. Wm. Gray and Capt. Edward Martin.
 Agnew, Samuel.
 Aiken, Alexander; in Capt. Joseph Howe's Co.; was at Ferguson's defeat and defeat of Sumter; under Gen. Henderson at the "Congarees" from June 1, '82 to July 11, '82; under Gen. Williamson at Briar Creek.
 Aiken, Archibald; under Capts. McBee and Mapp of Roebuck's regt.
 Aiken, Ezekiel; Brandon's regt.; also Capts. McBee and Mapp's Cos., Roebuck's regt.
 Aiken, John; in Brandon's regt. before fall of Charleston.
 Aiken, William; Capt. Edward Martin's Co. of Col. R. Winn's Regt.; also service as Lieut.
 Ains, George; quartermaster, Major Mahan.
 Akin, Joseph; Marion's brigade.
 Akin, Peter; Capt. Robert Montgomery's Co., Brandon's regt.
 Akins, George; Pickens' brigade.
 Albergetti, Anthony.
 Albert, Francis; mariner on frigate South Carolina.
 Albrittain, John; Capt. Palmer's Co., of Brandon's regt.; also in Capt. Jolley's and Hughes' company.
 Alcorn, James; in Capt. Thompson's Co., Sumter's brigade; lost horse at Briar Creek; dead at close of the Revolution.
 Alexander, Aaron; Capt. Wm. Baskin's Co., Waters' regt.
 Alexander, Asaph; under Capt. Norwood; also in Capt. Wm. Baskin's Co.
 Alexander, Alexander; Sumter's brigade; also Pickens'.
 Alexander, Charles; commanding wagons at Col. Richardson's in 1781.
 Alexander, George; Capt. Norwood's Co., Sumter's brigade.
 Alexander, Isaac; Sergt. Polk's regt., Sumter's brigade.
 Alexander, James; Roebuck's regt., Capt. Baskin's Co.
 Alexander, Joel; Capt. Martin's Co., Sumter's brigade.
 Alexander, John; at Four-Holes under Col. Winn; in Capt. John Henderson's Co. of Sumter's brigade; also in Roebuck's regt.; also Lieut. in the Spartan regt. of Col. John Thomas, Jr.; also quartermaster for Col. Kolb.
 Alexander, Joseph, Roebuck's regt.
 Alexander, Matthew; Roebuck's regt.
 Alexander, Nathaniel; Sergeant under Sumter.
 Alexander, Rayne; under Capts. Johnston and Womack.

Alexander, William; under Capts. J. Pickens, Strain and Turk of Col. Robt. Anderson's regt., Pickens' brigade.
 Allcorn, George; at Orangeburg in Capt. Amos Davis' Co.; also on Edisto expedition and under Lieut. Wm. Vaughn of Col. D. Hopkin's regt.
 Allen, Benjamin.
 Allen, Charles; Pickens' brigade.
 Allen, James; Lieut. John Bell's Co.; Lacey's regt.
 Allen, James; Pickens' brigade.
 Allen, Jeremiah; Lieutenant.
 Allen, Joel; Pickens' brigade; dead at close of the Revolution.
 Allen, John; Pickens' brigade.
 Allen, Josiah; Lieut. Pickens' brigade.
 Allen, Robert; Capt. Joseph Pickens' Co., Pickens' brigade.
 Allen, Robert; Capt. Wilson's Co., Pickens' brigade.
 Allen, William; Capt. Martin's Co., Sumter's brigade; also Capt. Rosamond's Co.
 Allison, Alexander; Capt. Venable's Co., Col. Wm. Bratton's regt., Sumter's brigade.
 Allison, George.
 Allison, James; Pickens' brigade.
 Allison, James H.; Lieut.; dead at close of the Revolution.
 Allison, Robert; Lieutenant.
 Allison, Thomas; Col. Wade Hampton's regt., Sumter's brigade.
 Allison, William; Pickens' brigade.
 Allston, John; Captain.
 Alston, John; Capt. Gilbert Johnson's Co., Col. Taylor's regt.; in camp, Fraziers, May, 1781.
 Ammonds, Josh; third Continental regiment; also in the Militia.
 Ammons, John.
 Ammons, Thomas; Sergeant, Capt. Charnel Durham's Co., Col. Winn's regt. at Orangeburg in 1781 and Four-Hole bridge.
 Anderson, Aaron; Col. Waters' regt.
 Anderson, Abel, Jr.; Capt. Jere Williams' Co., Waters' regt.; also in Capt. John Lindsay's Co.
 Anderson, Abraham; Col. Waters' regt.
 Anderson, Bailey; under Capts. Parsons and Bridges of Thomas' and Roebuck's regts.
 Anderson, David; Roebuck's regt.; also quartermaster.
 Anderson, Drury; Roebuck's regt.
 Anderson, Gabriel; Pickens' brigade.
 Anderson, Capt. George; of Chester County; widow Margaret; 214 days in service as Capt. in Lower regt. between Broad and Saluda rivers and then put to death by Tories; was under Lieut. Col. John Lindsay.
 Anderson, Capt. Henry; Col. Levi Casey's regt., Pickens' brigade; Col. Casey certifies that "Henry Anderson did bear a Captain's commission and commanded a militia company in my regiment . . . He discharged the duty of a good officer . . . He was murdered by the Tory party the last of Oct., 1783. Capt. Anderson's widow Ruth, drew pay for his service. He also served in Waters' regiment."

- Anderson, Henry Jr.; Waters' regt.
 Anderson, Jacob; Pickens'; widow Rebekah.
 Anderson, James; Marion; also under Lieut. John Piercey.
 Anderson, James; Col. Lacey's regt.; lieutenant in Capt. Thomas Robbins' Co.
 Anderson, James; under Capt. Wardlaw in '79; under Capt. Joseph Calhoun from '80 to '83; Pickens'.
 Anderson, Capt. John; Capt. in Militia in '79; private in Capt. Robert Thomson's Co.
 Anderson, John; Roebuck's regiment.
 Anderson, John, Jr.; Pickens'.
 Anderson, Joseph; under Jacob Baxton of Harden's regt.; also Marion's.
 Anderson, Joshua; Roebuck's regt.
 Anderson, Kellis; Pickens'; dead at close of Revolution.
 Anderson, Levi; Pickens'.
 Anderson, Philip; Sergeant and Lieut., Col. Brandon's regt.; lost horse Blackstock battle.
 Anderson, Richard.
 Anderson, Col. Robert; of Pickens' brigade; Capt. from Jan. 14, 1779 to May 12, 1780, then in various capacities until April 12, 1781, when he was made Colonel of the Upper Ninety-six regt., which he commanded until March 30, 1783.
 Anderson, Robert, Sr.; private and lieutenant under Pickens.
 Anderson, Robert, Jr.; Pickens.
 Anderson, Samuel; Pickens.
 Anderson, Stephen; Pickens.
 Anderson, Scarlet; Roebuck's regt.
 Anderson, Thomas; of Camden; (widow Margaret); dead at close of Revolution.
 Andrews, Daniel; Corporal, second South Carolina Continental regiment.
 Andrews, David; at Augusta in 1779 under Col. H. Kirkland; with Sumter at Hanging Rock; under Col. Winn.
 Andrews, Drury; Waters' regt.
 Andrews, Israel.
 Andrews, Jane; nurse in hospital.
 Andrews, John; Adjutant, Col. Hicks and Col. Benton.
 Andrews, John; Col. Henry Hampton's regt.
 Andrews, Owen; during 1781 under Sumter, then under Gen. Henderson.
 Anguish, John; matross, regiment artillery.
 Anahorn, Eli; Lieut. artillery.
 Anthony, (Capt.) Hezekiah; service prior to fall of Charleston.
 Anthony, John; Charleston battalion of artillery.
 Antley, George; Capt. Smith's Co.; Sumter.
 Antse, George; Col. Taylor's regiment.
 Archer, Robert; Capt. Steel's Co.
 Ardis, Isaac; Pickens.
 Ardist, Isaac; Pickens.
 Argo, Anthony; Pickens.
 Armour, James; Capt. James Howe's Co.; July and August, 1780 under Sumter; on Briar Creek expedition under Williamson.
 Armstrong, Arthur; in '79 under Capts. Clinton and Holt.
 Armstrong, Edward; Col. Brandon.
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 Armstrong, James, Sr.; Capt. Saddler's Co.; Marion.
 Armstrong, James; 1780 at Fishdam; '81 at Granby under Capt. Hanna and Lieut. Joseph Steel; '82 at Edisto under Lieut. John Hanna; at Briar Creek in '79 under Williamson; also under Sumter at Congaree Fort and Quarter House, and at Edisto under Henderson, in Capt. Wm. Hanna's Company.
 Armstrong, James, Jr.; Nov., 1780 to Aug., 1781 under Major Gamble of Marion's brigade.
 Armstrong, James, Jr.
 Armstrong, John; Capt. Waters' Co.; Sumter's regt.
 Armstrong, John; wagonmaster; captain from 1780 to 1781.
 Armstrong, John; wagonmaster in Col. Robert Goodwin's regt., 1779.
 Armstrong, Martin; Roebuck's regt.
 Arney, Jacob.
 Arnold, Reddock; Pickens.
 Arnold, Benjamin; second lieutenant. Col. Thomas Taylor's regt.
 Arnold, Joshua; Casey's regt.; Pickens' brigade.
 Arondale, Reddick; Capt. McBee's Co., Roebuck's regt.; Pickens.
 Arnold, William.
 Arthur, Joe.
 Arthur, James; in Capt. George Neely's Co. under Lieut. Wm. Brocet.
 Ardis, John; Continental Line.
 Ashberry, James; Pickens.
 Ashberry, Philip; Col. Brandon.
 Ashberry, Lindley; private, sergeant and lieutenant, Brandon's regt.
 Ashe, Robert; on Georgia campaign in 1778; under Capt. Bratton in 1781.
 Ashe, Samuel; third company, Charleston battalion of artillery.
 Ashe, William, Jr.; during '79 under Capt. Wm. Bratton; '80 under Capt. John McConnell; '81 under Capt. Hugh Bratton; '82 under Capts. Wallace and Bratton.
 Ashford, George; Capt. Pope's Co., Col. Taylor's regt.
 Ashford, Michael; Col. Brandon.
 Ashley, William; Capt. Robertson's Co., Taylor's regt.; was under Sumter at Congaree and at Biggen's Church.
 Ashley, John; "pack-horseman," Capt. Mapp's Co., Roebuck's regt.
 Ashworth, Benjamin.
 Askew, John; Marion.
 Askins, George; Pickens.
 Asoph, Alexander.
 Atkins, Elisha; wagoner in Winn's regt.; lieutenant in Capt. John Watkin's Co.; probably killed at Sumter's defeat.
 Atkins, Joseph; authorized by Governor Rutledge to impress cattle on Daniel's Island and send to Charleston during investment of city.
 Atkins, Richard; under Lieut. Wm. Brocet.
 Atkins, Samuel.
 Atkinson, Ardwell; Marion.
 Atkinson, Frederick; Marion.
 Atkinson, Marmaduke; Marion.
 Atkinson, Timothy; Pickens; probably killed.

- Atterson (Otterson?), Samuel; Major.
 Atmarr, Ralph.
 Atwood, William; Capt. John McGaw's Co.
 Andoley, George; Capt. Jacob Rumph's Co.; under Lieut. Col. W. R. Thompson and Gen. Henderson.
 Aubrey, Charles; Sergeant and Lieutenant under Col. Brandon.
 Aubrey, George; Adj. of Col. Brandon's regt.; under command of Lieut. Col. Farr at Orangeburg, April 5, 1782 to May 15, 1782.
 Aubrey, Capt. George; Brandon's regt.; also private and lieut. in Capt. Gavin Gordon's Co.
 Aubrey, Jesse; Col. Brandon.
 Aubrey, Philip; Pickens; Brandon's regt.
 Aubrey, Samuel; Col. Brandon.
 Audebert, John.
 Austin, Francis; Capt. John Redmen's (Redmond's?) Co., under Col. Benj. Kilgore and Roebuck; also in Col. Casey's regt.
 Austin, John; Pickens.
 Austin, John; S. C. Continental Line.
 Austin, Capt. Nathaniel; Pickens' brigade; quartermaster sergeant of the Little River regt. command by Col. James Williams from May 22 to Aug. 27, 1779; served under Pickens after fall of Charleston.
 Austin, Thomas; Col. Levi Casey's regt.; Pickens' brigade.
 Avon, John; Lieutenant.
 Axson, William; Capt. Darrel's (or Dor-rill's) company; captured by the British.
 Avert, Elijah; Capt. McBee's Co.; Roebuck's regt.
 Ayers, Daniel; quartermaster.
 Ayres, Daniel; Col. John Marshall's regt., Oct. 1, 1780 to June 20, 1872.
 Babcock, James; Capt. John Collin's company, prior to fall of Charleston. Also 455 days' service after fall of Charleston.
 Bacon, Nathaniel; captain in Pickens' brigade.
 Baddeley, John; major and lieut. colonel in Marion's brigade, serving in the latter capacity from April 12 to July 13, 1782.
 Baggs, John; Capt. John Lindsay's company from April 3, 1779, to Dec. 31, 1780. Later in Capt. Jeremiah Williams' company, both of Waters' regiment. Also in Joseph Dawson's company.
 Baggs, Joseph; private, Capt. Joseph Dawson's company, Pickens' brigade.
 Bagley, James; Brandon's regiment.
 Bagley, Joseph; Brandon's regiment.
 Bagnal, Ebenezer; sergeant 1780 to 1781.
 Bagnal, John; served in 1781 and 1782.
 Baidson, James; Pickens' brigade.
 Baidson, John; Pickens' brigade; dead at close of Revolution.
 Baiggs, Richard; surgeon's mate, frigate South Carolina.
 Bailey, George; sergeant, Capt. Wm. Grant's company, Brandon's regiment, from Nov., 1780, to Jan., 1782.
 Bailey, John.
 Bailey, Joseph; first South Carolina regiment.
 Bailey, Moses.
 Bailey, Nathaniel.
 Bailey, William; sergeant, Pickens' brigade.
 Bailey, Zachariah; Pickens' brigade.
 Baille, Robert C.; lieutenant, probably Continental.
 Bails, Eldridge; in Capt. Thos. Price's company from June 1, 1780, to Sept. 20, 1781.
 Baird, John; from July 1 to Aug. 1, 1780, in Capt. Dunlap's company; from Feb. 15 to March 8, 1781, under Lieut. Thompson; from Aug. 8 to Sept. 19, 1781, quartermaster of Col. Postell's regiment; from April 27, 1782, under Lieut. Dunlap.
 Baird, Robert; service during 1780.
 Baird, Simeon; Continental service.
 Baird, Simon; under Capt. George Dunlap, Lieut. Kennedy (dead at close of Revolution), Lieut. Thomas Thomson, Lieut. Thomas Dunlap and John Gilbreath.
 Baker, Alander; Capt. Anderson Thomas' company from Dec., 1778, to Nov. 8, 1780.
 Baker, Caleb; Capt. Tutt's Independent Company.
 Baker, John; of Camden, service during 1779-1782.
 Baker, John; Moore's company, Sumter's brigade.
 Baker, John; midshipman on frigate South Carolina, under Commodore Gillon.
 Baker, John; Col. Frederick Kimball's regiment from Feb. 25, 1779, to July 20, 1782.
 Baker, John, Jr.; Pickens' brigade.
 Baker, Nicholas; Capt. Carter's company, Col. Leroy Hammond's regiment. Also paid for service for his son, William Baker, 15 years of age, 60 days' duty in Capt. John Carter's volunteer scout on horse.
 Baker, Peter; Capt. Martin's company, Sumter's brigade.
 Baker, Thomas; Pickens' brigade.
 Baker, William; see Baker, Nicholas.
 Baker, William; service during 1782, Col. Wade Hampton's regiment.
 Baldwin, Isaac; lieutenant from Sept., 1781, to Jan. 1, 1782.
 Ball, Ambrose.
 Ball, Isaac; under Lieut. Martin. Major Ross' detachment.
 Ball, John; Col. Wm. Bratton's regiment from Oct., 1780, to Dec., 1782.
 Ball, Mark; Capt. John Calhoun's company, Pickens' brigade.
 Ball, Richard; lieutenant from Oct., 1780.
 Ball, Sampson.
 Ball, William; sergeant.
 Ballanger, Edward; Capt. Moses Wood's company, Roebuck's regiment.
 Ballard, Jacob; cared for four wounded men in action in 1781 and 1782. Served as a member of Capt. Joseph Bouchillon's company alternately from Aug. 5, 1779, to May, 1782.
 Ballard, John; Pickens' brigade.
 Ballard, Thomas; captain from Aug. 11, 1780, to May 26, 1781, and also June and July, 1781, in Col. Frederick Kimball's regiment, Sumter's brigade.
 Balloon, William; Marion's brigade.
 Bankhead, James; Brandon's regiment.
 Bankhead, John; Brandon's regiment.
 Banks, James; Capt. Cowan's company, Pickens' brigade.

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Regular Meeting, Wednesday, June 12, 1913

A regular meeting of the National Board of Management was held in the Board room of Memorial Continental Hall, the President General called the meeting to order at 10:30 a. m.

The Chaplain General, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood, read from the Scripture the 23d Psalm, and offered the following prayer:

Our Heavenly Father, we approach Thee with supplications and thanksgiving. In Thee we have the perfect abiding peace. We come to Thee with the assurance of not being misunderstood and that all work and all aspirations when followed strictly in the paths Thou hast laid down will be crowned with Thy blessing. May we enter into our work with hearts free from prejudice and passion and animated only with a desire to do our duty. Harmonize all our deliberations, always having in mind to do to others as we would be done by. Then will come Thy blessing and a true and permanent interest in our beloved Association. To that end let us pray: (Concluded by the Lord's Prayer, in which the members of the Board joined.)

The roll was called by the Recording Secretary General, the following members being present:

The President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story; Vice-Presidents North Carolina, Mrs. John Van Landingham; Ohio, Mrs. Thomas Kite; Pennsylvania, Mrs. Allen Putnam Perley; the Chaplain General, Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood; Recording Secretary General, Mrs. William C. Boyle; Registrar General, Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh; Historian General, Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett; Treasurer General, Mrs. Joseph E. Ransdell; Assistant Historian General, Mrs. Edward Orton, Jr.; Librarian General, Mrs. George M. Sternberg; the following State Regents: Connecticut, Mrs. John Laidlaw Buel; Delaware, Mrs. George C. Hall; District of Columbia, Mrs. Charles W. Richardson; Georgia, Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster; Illinois, Mrs. George A. Lawrence; Kansas, Mrs. George Thatcher Guernsey; Maryland, Mrs. Robert G. Hogan; Massachusetts, Mrs. George O. Jenkins; New York, Mrs. Willard S. Augsbury; Ohio, Mrs. Kent Hamilton; Pennsylvania, Mrs. Henry H. Cummings; Virginia, Mrs. J. F. Maupin; the following State Vice-Regents: Arizona, Mrs. Will C. Barnes; California, Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer.

The President General asked that letters of sympathy be sent by the Recording Secretary to members absent on account of serious illness.

The State Regent of Kansas, Mrs. Guernsey, offered a motion for the reading of the minutes of the last meeting of the Board, stating that the motions only had been approved previous to its adjournment. Motion seconded and carried. The minutes of the meeting were then read by the Recording Secretary General. The President General asked for corrections, and hearing none announced that the minutes stood approved. The President General stated, in response to an inquiry by Mrs. Hall, State Regent of Delaware, that these minutes were a correct and detailed record of the proceedings, and were presented in order that the Board might pass upon its correctness. After discussion of the definition of the term *minutes*, in which Mrs. Perley, Mrs. Cummings, Mrs. Sternberg, Mrs. Brumbaugh and Mrs. Lockwood took part, Mrs. Hamilton, State Regent of Ohio, offered the following motion:

That the action of the meeting be called the minutes of the meeting and the full report of the proceedings be called the record of the meeting.

Seconded by Mrs. Perley, Vice-President General from Pennsylvania, and carried.

The President General presented the following report:

Ladies: It is my privilege to present in the form of my report many matters for your serious consideration. Since the assuming of the duties of the Executive head of this great Organization, the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, I can truly say that the business of the Society has had my constant attention, and has filled my every thought. I feel so keenly the responsibility of my office that I have felt compelled to obtain, as far as possible, in the short time that has elapsed since the opening of this administration, every scrap and atom of information relating to the administering of this Society that has been possible. I have studied the bound State book and every ruling that has been available, covering a period of many years. I have been in close touch with our most important committees, and I assure you that the recommendations I shall from time to time present to you will be the result of careful consideration, investigation and a deep and disinterested effort on my part to advance the best interests of the Society. I find expressed from all States a cordial feeling, which I believe to be absolutely sincere, that a loyal and intelligent support will be accorded me, and with this co-operation I know that we can look for a great accomplishment of good. My sentiment has been stimulated by an

idea, which I wish to recommend to you, and which I think will add greatly to the beauty of our splendid building.

I recommend that the Committee on House and Grounds have planted, with appropriate ceremonies, next autumn, ivy from the grave of Washington at Mount Vernon—thirteen plants adjacent to the thirteen memorial columns, which form so imposing and beautiful a portion of our noble structure—these plants not to be allowed to cover or mar the building in any way. We have been offered generous gifts from that group of gracious women who are now in charge of historic Mount Vernon, of plants and shrubs, and cordial cooperation has been extended to us in this plan for beautifying our grounds, which I recommend, from friends and neighbors. This committee on House and Grounds has many important duties, and we must look to them for a wise and faithful fulfilling of their obligations.

I would recommend on the part of our officers and the members of our Board, an active cooperation with this committee and that this committee be not only empowered, as it has been in the past, to regulate the salaries and disposition of the clerks, but to encourage a spirit of mutual cooperation between the different departments.

I have been shocked to learn very recently that some foreign countries have in effect a law which prohibits marriage between the official representatives of these countries in America and American women. It is not necessary to comment upon this slight upon American women, and this natural protest, which must be felt by all of us, has strengthened my desire to recommend that the Genealogical Department of our Society be greatly extended, so that we may continue our research back of the Revolutionary period, thus proving many of our members of such ancient and honorable descent that the most exacting rules of any nation could not object to intermarriage with the well-born American woman, on the grounds of her lineage. This reason is, of course, a very small part of the many good reasons for enlarging and establishing of a new and more far reaching genealogical department, which would greatly redound to the credit of our Society and make it an acknowledged authority on all genealogical matters.

I wish to recommend that we hold appropriate celebration of the twenty-second of February and of July Fourth.

I also recommend that our business office, which has been found to be of such value to all of the different offices in our Society, be distinct and separate from any special office and under the direction of our Committee on House and Grounds.

I recommend that no contract be entered into except after bids are secured sufficient to insure having all the work done at the minimum cost. In line with this suggestion I will report and ask for your approval of the action taken regarding the publishing of the Proceedings. The Chairman of the Maga-

zine Committee, with my approval, secured a number of bids from printers and selected the lowest bid from a reliable house, which will give the Society a saving in this item of about \$409.88, not only saving this sum but giving a better bound book than that of last year.

I feel very strongly that the funds of our Society should be conserved in every way that is consistent with an ample protection of our Hall and a dignified administering of our affairs. The matter of insurance has presented, on investigation, a means of a wise and safe retrenchment. I therefore recommend that the recent policy which now exists and has three years still to run, be cancelled, as this is made at the rate of 45 cents now, and one of the largest insurance companies in New York can, I believe, insure us for 18 cents. In other words, the policy when canceled will give us a rebate of about \$360 and with this rebate we can reinsure for five years without any additional cost—which means that there is a saving under this arrangement of any additional cost for the next five years over what would under the present rate of 45 cents for five years cost the Society about \$900. I therefore recommend that bids be asked from other well known and responsible companies, including the company now insuring us, for placing our insurance at a lower rate than that obtaining at present and the Finance Committee be empowered to act.

I shall present to you many other matters of importance for your wise action, and I feel assured that in all of the deliberations of this important body, our National Board, I may count upon the ready cooperation and devoted service of the members.

DAISY ALLEN STORY,
President General, N. S. D. A. R.

It was moved by Mrs. Guernsey, seconded by Mrs. Brumbaugh, that the President General's report be accepted and the recommendations taken up and discussed *ad seriatim*. Seconded by Mrs. Brumbaugh and carried.

The first recommendation taken up was that regarding the change in insurance, and was discussed by Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Guernsey, Mrs. Brumbaugh, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Perley, Mrs. Kite. In view of the request by all for more information on the matter the President General asked the courtesy of the house for Mr. Luebker, the auditor, in order that he might make an explanation. It was moved by Mrs. Richardson that Mr. Luebker be asked to present the facts to the Board. Seconded, and carried.

The auditor went into the standing of companies that would insure at a lower rate, vouching for their reliability and stating that the reduction in the past two years of insurance rates was due to the competition between companies. After further discussion in which, in addition to the above ladies, Mrs. Orton, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Van Lindingham, Mrs. Cullop, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Maupin also took part, it was moved by Mrs. Lockwood, seconded by Mrs. Van Lindingham:

That the matter of insurance be referred to the Finance Committee of the National Society, with power to act upon the question of reinsurance or cancellation; this committee to confer with not less than five reliable insurance brokers, including those with whom the Society is now insured.

Motion carried.

Motion was put and carried that the procedure of business be interrupted in order to have the benefit of any suggestions the Auditor might offer in connection with matters within the scope of the Finance Committee. Mrs. Sternberg moved that such suggestions be offered in advance of the reading of the report of the Finance Committee. Motion carried.

The following suggestions were offered by the Auditor, Mr. Luebker:

1. Change of date of meetings of National Board of Management to a later day than first Wednesday in the month, to allow sufficient time to the office of the Treasurer General and the Auditors to prepare their reports.
2. That the Assets and Liabilities be placed on the books in order that the same might at all times reflect what the Society owns as well as owes.
3. That a Suspense account and a Suspense bank account be opened to provide for proper recording of monies received of which immediate disposition cannot be made.
4. That receipt blanks, one for Chapters, one for members at large and one for general use, be provided whereby duplication in the recording of receipts will be eliminated and considerable time and space be saved.
5. That loose leaf ledgers be adopted for Chapter accounts.
6. That a more appropriate voucher for payment of bills be devised and put into use.
7. That a standard book be specially devised to take care of Chapter accounts and ordered used by Chapter treasurers.
8. That the National Board determine whether or not the present check of the receipts of the Society be sufficient and assume responsibility therefor.

These measures were discussed by Mrs. Guernsey, Mrs. Orton, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Foster.

At the suggestion of Mrs. Richardson, Chairman of the House and Grounds Committee, the Auditor gave a little general talk on business methods to be followed in obtaining bids on goods to be purchased; and at the suggestion of Mrs. Ransdell, Treasurer General, he discussed the matter of reduction of the bonded indebtedness of the Society.

Consideration of the recommendations in the President General's report was resumed, and the recommendation that ivy from the grave of Washington, at Mount Vernon, be planted at the base of the thirteen columns of the Hall was seconded by Mrs. Buel and Mrs. Perley, the President General calling attention to the feature of her recommendation that the ivy be not allowed to run on the building but at the base of the columns. Motion carried.

The President General stated that her recommendation regarding cooperation with the committee on House and Grounds, and empowering that committee to regulate salaries of clerks, etc., was in the nature of a confirmation of the present practice. Motion seconded and carried.

The recommendation for extension of the research work by the Genealogical department of the Society was discussed by Mrs. Orton, Mrs. Sternberg, Mrs. Guernsey, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Bassett, and Mrs. Lockwood, the President General stating her idea as being the ultimate establishment of a sort of Herald's College which would be an unquestioned authority on genealogical matters.

Mrs. Orton moved: That the recommendations of the President General on the extension of the Genealogical work be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. Bassett, and motion carried.

On statement by Mrs. Lockwood that the result of discussion of the President General's recommendation had been the acceptance of all of them, Mrs. Hogan moved: That the report of the President General, with all recommendations, be accepted as a whole. Motion seconded and carried.

Mrs. Barnes presented Mrs. Walworth, a Founder of the Society, and the members of the Board rose in greeting.

On motion of Mrs. Lockwood recess was taken for luncheon.

AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 4, 1913

The afternoon session of the Board meeting of June 4 was called at two o'clock, by the President General.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved: That business be suspended and the report of the Chairman of the Magazine Committee be heard. Seconded by Mrs. Guernsey and carried.

Telegrams of regret were read from Mrs. Reynolds, State Regent of North Carolina, and Mrs. Frissell, State Regent of Florida.

Miss Finch read letters showing the condition of business affairs connected with the publication of the Magazine, which had necessitated closing the contract with Mr. Wilson, former manager of the Magazine, and the taking over of the contract by the R. R. Bowker Co. She read the following recommendation by the Magazine Committee:

That in view of information obtained in regard to notes and loans in the name of the Magazine, the Chairman be empowered to carry on the investigations and employ legal counsel to ascertain the exact state of affairs, and that she be empowered to act accordingly.

This was discussed by Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Guernsey and others.

Mrs. Hall moved: That this Board confirm the action of the Magazine Committee empowering the Chairman to continue the investigations of the financial condition of the Magazine. Seconded by Mrs. Buel and carried.

The next recommendation was: That the Magazine be published under the management and supervision of the Magazine Committee at expiration of present contract; that the Chairman of the Magazine Committee be au-

thorized to ask for and secure bids from printers to print the Magazine.

Mrs. Foster moved:

That the Board accept the recommendation of the Magazine Committee for this committee to publish said Magazine themselves, etc.

Discussed by Mrs. Perley and Mrs. Guernsey.

Motion seconded by Mrs. Maupin and carried.

The third recommendation was: That a circular letter should be sent to all Chapter Regents and past subscribers to tell them of the change in publishers and where to send their subscriptions for the coming year—the phraseology of such letter to be left to a lawyer after legal advice had been had, so as not to conflict with contracts or implicate or injure the Society.

Discussed by Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Orton, Mrs. Guernsey, Mrs. Cumings, Mrs. Lawrence.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved that recommendation No. 3 be ratified by this Board.

Seconded by Mrs. Van Landingham and carried.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved that the report of the Chairman of the Magazine Committee be accepted with thanks. Seconded by Mrs. Hogan and Mrs. Van Landingham, and carried.

Mrs. Foster, State Regent of Georgia, called attention to a project in which the Georgia Daughters are interested: an industrial school for boys organized about twenty years ago by Mr. and Mrs. Dodge, of St. Simon, as a memorial to their son. Mrs. Dodge has offered to donate two thousand acres of land and an endowment of \$75,000, bringing in an

income of \$3,000 a year, if the Daughters will build a dormitory to accommodate fifty boys and costing \$10,000, the school to be called the Oglethorpe Memorial School, and to be run exclusively by the D. A. R.

Mrs. Hogan moved: That this Board approve the Georgia D. A. R. in their endeavor to secure the Oglethorpe Memorial School. Seconded by Mrs. Guernsey and carried.

Mrs. Guernsey moved: That a Committee be appointed by the President General to bring up to date and have published the statutes. Seconded by Mrs. Lockwood and carried.

Mrs. Lawrence, State Regent of Kansas, introduced a resolution of sympathy for the family on the death of Mrs. Charles Deere. Mrs. Guernsey asked for a rising vote on its adoption, and the Board rose in token of respect and sympathy.

On motion by Mrs. Orton the Board rose in silent sympathy for Mrs. William Lindsey, who recently lost her mother, Mrs. Holmes. Mrs. Sternberg moved that a note of sympathy be sent to Mrs. Lindsey by the Secretary. Motion carried.

The report of the Treasurer General was called for and Mrs. Bassett moved that Mrs. Bryan, clerk in charge of the Treasurer General's office, be present during the reading of the report in order to make any desired explanation.

The Treasurer General read the following statement:

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from April 1 to May 31, 1913:

CURRENT FUND

Balance in Bank at Last Report, March 31, 1913..... \$ 41,705.70

RECEIPTS

Annual dues, \$12,249.00 less \$421.00 refunded.....	\$ 11,828.00
Initiation Fees, \$1,344.00 less \$17.00 refunded.....	1,327.00
Certificate	5.00
Current Interest	97.81
D. A. R. Report to Smithsonian Institution.....	9.91
Directory	32.66
Duplicate Papers and Lists.....	39.50
Early History .....	.50
Exchange	1.30
Hand Books	17.00
Lineage Books	200.21
Magazine	2.60
Proceedings 20th Continental Congress.....	1.00
Proceedings 21st Continental Congress.....	4.50
Proceedings 22nd Continental Congress.....	5.25
Ribbon	11.38
Slot Machine.....	2.20
Stationery	10.20
Statute Book .....	.15
Telephone	73.50
Transportation Committee (22nd Congress), Advertisements for Guide	210.00
Sale of Safe.....	41.00
Refund—Children of the Republic Committee.....	52.37

\$13,973.04

Total Receipts

13,973.04

\$55,678.74

EXPENDITURES

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$ 51.00	
Stationery	2.00	
Postage	10.00	
		\$ 63.00

OFFICE OF VICE-PRESIDENT GENERAL
Charge of Organization of Chapters

Clerical Service	\$ 260.00	
Extra Clerical Service	32.00	
Postage	5.00	
Lithographing Charters	67.50	
Parchment and Expressage	22.01	
Engrossing Chapter Regents' Commissions and Charters....	5.20	
Telegram	2.69	
		394.40

OFFICE OF RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$ 290.00	
Extra Clerical Service	22.10	
Automatic Stamp and Pads.....	4.00	
Postage	2.00	
Postals to be Printed.....	2.50	
		320.60

OFFICE OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$ 150.00	
Extra Clerical Service	6.43	
1,000 Constitutions and By-Laws.....	69.00	
Postage	30.00	
Postals to be Printed.....	5.00	
		260.43

OFFICE OF REGISTRAR GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$1,249.73	
Extra Clerical Service	20.35	
Binding and Repairing 21 Volumes.....	62.50	
48 Permit Books	42.00	
Repairs to Typewriter .....	.80	
Rent of Typewriter, 3 Months.....	4.00	
		1,379.38

OFFICE OF TREASURER GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$ 1,172.29	
Clerical Service, Business Office.....	150.00	
Extra Clerical Service	189.69	
Premium on Bond of Treasurer General.....	50.00	
Premium on Bond of Bookkeeper and Assistant.....	5.00	
Rent Safe Deposit Box.....	5.00	
Automatic Stamps and Pads.....	6.10	
Cash Book, Ledger and Index.....	43.60	
Receipt, Check and Bill Books.....	54.00	
Repairs to Typewriter.....	6.50	
Sharpening Erasers .....	.30	
		1,682.48

OFFICE OF HISTORIAN GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$ 319.70	
1,000 Copies Lineage Books, Volume 36.....	558.00	
Postage	10.00	
Expressage, Freight and Drayage.....	15.75	
		903.45

OFFICE OF ASSISTANT HISTORIAN GENERAL

Postage, Telephones, Telegrams, Typewriting, Supplies, Ex- pressage and Transportation.....	\$30.00	
		30.00

OFFICE OF LIBRARIAN GENERAL

Clerical Service	\$150.00	
Subscription—"South Carolina Historical Society".....	4.00	
Subscription—"The Mayflower Descendants"	3.00	
3 Volumes "Connecticut Vital Records, Bolton, Vernon and Norwich"	13.50	
Binding 2 Volumes Lineage Books.....	2.70	
		173.20

GENERAL OFFICE

Extra Clerical Service	\$14.00	
Messenger	55.00	
Postage	6.00	
Postage, Chaplain General	5.00	
Supplies	122.37	
Extra Leaves in Address Book.....	.50	
Drayage .....	.75	
23,500 Envelopes	537.66	
Flowers and Wreaths	25.00	
Flood Sufferers	106.85	
Committee—Conservation, Circulars and Printing.....	25.00	
“ Continental Hall, 2,000 Circulars (Banquet Hall)	23.50	
“ “ Typewriting, Postage and Cards	36.93	
“ Historic Spots, Typewriting, Printing and Stamps	23.70	
“ (Old Trails Road), Postage,		
Telegrams, Phones, Stationery, File Box,		
Map and Clerical Service.....	80.00	
“ Revision of Constitution and By-Laws, Postage	.50	
“ Revolutionary Relics, Expressage, Drayage and		
Postage	17.10	
“ Welfare Women and Children, Postage, Circulars and Typewriting	20.00	
		1,099.86

EXPENSE CONTINENTAL HALL

Superintendent	\$250.00	
Mechanic	127.50	
Watchman	120.00	
Guide	93.00	
Telephone Operator	85.25	
Cleaners	516.27	
30 Tons Coal.....	180.00	
Hauling 6 Loads Ashes.....	6.00	
Electric Current	264.24	
Towel Service	12.60	
Installing Lavatory	34.90	
Standards, Auditorium Seats	8.00	
Lumber	11.39	
Electric Fixtures	14.34	
Hardware	21.57	
Rake and Hoe Handle.....	.80	
Paints, Brushes, Plaster, Putty, Alcohol and Oils.....	16.44	
Brooms, Brushes, Buckets, Pans and Chamois.....	11.75	
Tumblers, Napkins, Prisms, Moth Flakes, Felt and Cord....	9.64	
Matting and Sockets.....	27.99	
Expressage	1.54	
Disinfectant and Toilet Paper.....	14.50	
		1,827.72

PRINTING MACHINE

Midget and Stapling Machines.....	\$8.50	
Ink, Type, Clips, Bands, Paper Cutters, Waste, Electros,		
Paper, Cardboard	34.32	
Paper (Vice-President General, C. O. C., Rec. Sec. Gen.,		
Press and Transportation Committees and Continental		
Hall)	12.16	
Printer	28.50	
		83.48

MAGAZINE

Author's Changes and 8 Pages Issue.....	\$148.27	
Photographs of Continental Hall.....	40.00	
Audit	103.83	
Lists to Publisher.....	2.25	
2,000 Slips (Receipts and Disbursements), Chairman.....	11.50	
Postage and Telegram, Chairman.....	2.00	
Salary Editor and Clerk	200.00	
Trip to New York and Hotel Fare, Editor.....	21.15	
Telephone, Telegrams and Postage, Editor.....	10.09	
Expense, "Notes and Queries"	60.00	
Telegram and Stamped Envelopes, Genealogical Editor.....	23.40	

622.49

CERTIFICATE		
Clerical Service	\$150.00	
Postage and Expressage.....	84.69	
Engrossing 664 Certificates.....	66.40	301.09
SUPPORT OF REAL DAUGHTERS		
Support 41 Real Daughters, April	\$ 328.00	
Support 40 Real Daughters, May	320.00	648.00
FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT		
Book Case Section, Registrar General.....	\$ 13.00	13.00
AUDITING ACCOUNTS		
Audits for February and March.....	125.00	125.00
STATE REGENTS' POSTAGE		
For State Regent—Alabama	20.00	
“ “ “ Arkansas	10.00	
“ “ “ California	10.00	
“ “ “ Delaware	5.00	
“ “ “ Maine	13.67	
“ “ “ Mississippi	10.00	
“ “ “ Nebraska	10.00	
“ “ “ New Jersey	5.00	
“ “ “ New York	15.00	
“ “ “ Pennsylvania	10.00	
“ “ “ South Carolina	10.00	
“ “ “ Wisconsin	10.00	128.67
STATIONERY		
General Office	\$ 11.75	11.75
STATIONERY, STATE REGENTS		
State Regent—Delaware	8.80	
“ “ Iowa	16.00	
“ “ Nebraska	20.90	
“ “ Ohio	7.85	
“ “ Wisconsin	6.80	60.35
TELEPHONE		
Telephone Service and Toll.....	\$ 144.24	144.24
TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS		
Official Reader	100.00	
Official Reporter	500.00	
Parliamentarian	150.00	
Stenographic Service to President General.....	33.00	
2,500 Treasurer General's Reports.....	118.75	
Pens, Pencils, Pads and Envelopes.....	10.80	
Committee— <i>Credential</i> , Badges	408.61	
“ “ Paper, Cards, Envelopes, Diagrams, Circulars, Labels and Telegrams..	40.91	
“ “ Clerical Service	171.50	
“ “ Rent 3 Voting Machines, Time of Representative, Hotel Expense, Railroad Fare, Cab and Expense in Printing Ballot Labels.....	266.75	
“ <i>House</i> , Clerical Service	18.00	
“ “ Advance	500.00	
“ “ Firemen	20.00	
“ “ Rent Lunch Tables	9.50	
“ “ Seat Tickets and Circulars.....	53.75	
“ <i>Music</i> , Pianist and Bugler.....	31.00	
“ “ Messenger, Cab, Telephone, Postage, Music and Stationery.....	17.78	
“ <i>Page</i> , Clerical Service	8.00	
“ <i>Press</i> , Press Service	250.00	
“ “ Photographs, Telegram and Telephone....	10.37	
“ <i>Program</i> , Typewriting, Circulars, and Postage..	18.85	
“ “ Lecture, Mrs. Woodbury (Patriotic Education)	72.50	
“ <i>Souvenir</i> , Clerical Service	6.00	

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Committee— <i>Transportation</i> , Clerical Service	29.83		
“ “ Maps, Guides, Stamp, Circulars, Cards, Cardboard and File....	193.65		
“ “ Hire of busses and Cab Service.....	39.20		
“ “ Breakfasts for Deaconess, Station	7.70		
		3,086.45	
PROCEEDINGS TWENTY-SECOND CONGRESS			
Expressage	\$.70		.70
Total Disbursements			<u>\$13,359.74</u>
Transfer to Permanent Fund Ordered by Twenty-second Congress			<u>\$42,319.00</u>
Balance on Hand on May 31, 1913.....			<u>\$15,000.00</u>
On Deposit in National Metropolitan Bank.....			<u>\$27,319.00</u>
Petty Cash Fund.....	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	<u>\$ 500.00</u>
EMILY NELSON RITCHIE McLEAN HISTORICAL FUND			
As at Last Report, March 31, 1913.....	\$ 1,500.50		
Lecture "Madame La Fayette".....	75.00		
		<u>\$ 1,425.50</u>	
Balance on hand May 31, 1913.....			<u>\$ 1,425.50</u>
FRANCO-AMERICAN FUND			
As at Last Report, March 31, 1913.....	\$ 206.55	\$ 206.55	<u>\$ 206.55</u>
PHILIPPINE SCHOLARSHIP FUND			
Receipts			
Mary Washington Chapter.....	D. C.	\$ 10.00	
Miss Mary P. Brown.....	"	5.00	
Mrs. Ellen S. Mussey.....	"	5.00	
Mrs. John N. Carey.....	Ind.	2.00	
Brookville Chapter	Pa.	5.00	
Presque Isle Chapter.....	Pa.	5.00	
		<u>\$ 32.00</u>	
On Hand May 31, 1913.....			<u>\$ 32.00</u>
PATRIOTIC EDUCATION			
Receipts			
Hannah Woodruff Chapter.....	Conn.	\$ 50.00	
Norwalk Chapter	"	50.00	
Sibbil Dwight Kent Chapter.....	"	50.00	
Col. John Donelson Chapter.....	"	5.00	
Magruder Chapter.....	"	5.00	
Mrs. John S. Bukey, Magruder Chapter.....	"	5.00	
Mrs. Benton Bukey, Magruder Chapter.....	"	2.00	
Monticello Chapter.....	"	25.00	
Fielding Lewis Chapter.....	Ga.	28.00	
George Walton Chapter.....	"	5.00	
Lachlan McIntosh Chapter.....	"	50.00	
Stephen Hopkins Chapter.....	"	5.00	
Thronateeska Chapter	"	5.00	
Xavier Chapter	"	25.00	
Mrs. John A. Eogan, Chicago Chapter.....	Ill.	2.00	
Mrs. Walter C. Nelson, Chicago Chapter.....	"	10.00	
George Rogers Clark Chapter.....	"	10.00	
Rebecca Park Chapter.....	"	50.00	
Mrs. Matthew T. Scott.....	"	25.00	
Ashley Chapter	Iowa	50.00	
Mary Brewster Chapter.....	"	5.00	
Onawa Chapter	"	10.00	
Sarah Bradlee Fulton Chapter.....	Mass.	5.00	
Marquette Chapter	Mich.	25.00	
Muskegon Chapter	"	10.00	

Mrs. Ben. F. Gray, St. Louis Chapter.....	Mo.	10.00
Omaha Chapter	Nebr.	50.00
Mrs. Belle Baruch, Knickerbocker Chapter.....	N. Y.	35.00
Olean Chapter	"	25.00
Otsego Chapter	"	50.00
Tioughnioga Chapter	"	5.00
Brookville Chapter	Penna.	10.00
Fort Antes Chapter	"	50.00
Independence Hall Chapter.....	"	25.00
Phoebe Bayard Chapter.....	"	20.00
Quaker City Chapter.....	"	83.62
Adam Dale Chapter	Tenn.	25.00
Chickamauga Chapter	"	20.00
Commodore Perry Chapter	"	10.00
Cumberland Chapter	"	10.00
Mrs. J. M. Dickinson, Cumberland Chapter.....	"	5.00
David Craig Chapter	"	25.00
Jane Douglas Chapter	Texas	10.00
Lady Washington Chapter	"	10.00
Albemarle Chapter	Va.	20.00
Hampton Chapter	"	10.00
Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter.....	"	20.00
Washington Chapters	Wash.	12.00
Fond du Lac Chapter	Wisc.	5.00
Fort Atkinson Chapter.....	"	10.00
Milwaukee Chapter	"	10.00
Oshkosh Chapter	"	50.00
Waukesha-Continental Chapter	"	25.00
Waupun Chapter	"	10.00
22nd Continental Congress, through Mrs. I. V. Woodbury, Field Secretary		210.75
		<hr/> \$ 1,373.37
Disbursements		
Helen Dunlap School	Ark.	\$ 10.00
Berry School	Ga.	448.00
Berea College	Ky.	25.00
Hindman School	"	185.62
Albemarle School	N. C.	50.00
Maryville College	Tenn.	175.00
Tennessee D. A. R. School.....	"	35.00
Mountain Missions	Va.	50.00
Rev. Josiah Ellis School	"	25.00
Southern Industrial Educational Association.....		92.00
Mrs. I. V. Woodbury, Field Secretary.....		242.75
		<hr/> \$ 1,338.37
Balance on Hand (School not assigned)....		<hr/> \$ 35.00

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PERMANENT FUND

Balance in Bank at Last Report, March 31, 1913..... \$ 7,694.27

RECEIPTS

Charter Fees	\$ 75.00
Life Membership Fees	850.00

CONTINENTAL HALL CONTRIBUTIONS

ALABAMA

Alabama Chapters—Acct. Room \$ 180.00

CALIFORNIA

California State Conference, Room	50.00
California Chapter, Room	25.00
Copa de Oro Chapter, Room	5.00
Eschscholtzia Chapter, Room	15.00
Encinitas Chapter, Room	5.00
Gaviota Chapter, Room	15.00
Miss Arnold Bode, of Gaviota Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Golden West Chapter, Room	10.80
Miss Stowell, of Golden West Chapter, Room.....	3.65
Los Angeles Chapter, Room	10.00

Miss S. R. Smith, Los Angeles Chapter, Room.....	3.65
Oakland Chapter, Room	60.00
Pasadena Chapter, Room	25.25
Santa Barbara Chapter, Room	10.00
Sequoia Chapter, Room	25.50
Tierra Alta Chapter, Room	10.00
COLORADO	
Arapahoe Chapter	10.00
Arkansas Valley Chapter	5.00
Boulder Chapter	15.00
Cache la Poudre Chapter	5.00
Colorado Chapter	50.00
Fort Morgan Chapter	5.00
Mt. Garfield Chapter	5.00
Peace Pipe Chapter	10.00
Pueblo Chapter	5.00
Santa Fe Trail Chapter	5.00
Shavano Chapter	10.00
CONNECTICUT	
Connecticut Daughters—Sale of Guide	1.00
Sarah Riggs Humphreys Chapter, to Enroll Name of Mrs. Maria Watson Pinney on the Remembrance Book	50.00
DELAWARE	
Miss Anna Cuninghame, State Regent, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial	5.00
Delaware D. A. R., Two Dozen Teaspoons, Banquet Hall	25.50
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	
Capt. Molly Pitcher Chapter.....	70.00
Continental Chapter	25.00
Continental Chapter (Penny-a-Day) C. and F.....	7.30
Dolly Madison Chapter, to Enroll the Name of Miss Eugenia Washington on the Remembrance Book....	50.00
Elizabeth Jackson Chapter	25.00
Emily Nelson Chapter	40.00
John Hall Chapter, Sale of Poem.....	12.00
Little John Boyden Chapter.....	13.00
Livingston Manor Chapter, to Enroll the Name of Mrs. Charles W. Brown on the Remembrance Book....	50.00
Louisa Adams Chapter	10.00
Lucy Holcombe Chapter, Sale of Shields.....	8.50
Magruder Chapter	5.00
Miss Maria F. Bailey of Magruder Chapter (Penny-a- Day)	3.65
Mrs. Roberta M. Bukey, Magruder Chapter.....	5.00
Maj. L'Enfant Chapter, Acct. Memorial to Maj. L'Enfant	40.00
Margaret Whetten Chapter	20.00
Margaret Whetten Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
Mary Washington Chapter.....	25.00
Mary Washington Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	21.00
Mary Washington Chapter, in Memory of Mrs. Dickens..	3.00
Mrs. B. J. Cromwell of Mary Washington Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	5.00
Mrs. Alice S. Hersey, Mary Washington Chapter (Penny- a-Day)	3.65
Monticello Chapter	50.00
Samuel Gorton Chapter, Chair and Plate for Banquet Hall	18.50
Sarah St. Clair Chapter, Sale of Gavel and Paper Knives	24.00
Historic Spots Committee, Sale of Books.....	1.75
Miss Cora Millward (Penny-a-Day).....	3.65
Ernest L. Crandall, Commission on Photographs.....	34.90
FLORIDA	
Florida D. A. R.	75.00
GEORGIA	
Georgia Chapters, Emily Hendree Park Memorial— Tablet, Library	178.00
Committee of Real Daughters—Balance above Cost of Bust of Real Daughter	133.20

ILLINOIS

Illinois D. A. R.	150.00
Chicago Chapter	530.00
Christopher Lobingier Chapter	5.00
Elgin Chapter, Acct. Serving Table for Banquet Hall..	22.50
Fort Armstrong Chapter	25.00
Letitia Green Stevenson Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	503.10
Mrs. Frances H. Larkin, through Letitia Green Stevenson Chapter	100.00
Lincoln Chapter	10.00
Mildred Warner Washington Chapter.....	100.00
Moline Chapter	100.00
Mrs. William Butterworth of Moline Chapter.....	50.00
Mrs. Charles H. Deere of Moline Chapter.....	100.00
Peoria Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	251.00
Polly Sumner Chapter	20.00
Rebecca Park Chapter	100.00
Rev. James Caldwell Chapter.....	20.00
Rockford Chapter, to Enroll the Name of Mrs. Luther Derwent on the Remembrance Book	50.00
Shadrach Bond Chapter	25.00

INDIANA

Mrs. James M. Fowler, State Regent (Penny-a-Day)..	205.00
Mrs. James M. Fowler, State Regent, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial	25.00
Agnes Pruyn Chapman Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	25.00
Alexander Hamilton Chapter.....	25.00
Ann Rogers Clark Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	50.00
Bloomington Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	60.00
Capt. Harmon Aughe Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
Charles Carroll Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	50.00
Charles Carroll Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial	5.00
Connersville Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	25.00
Hoosier Elm Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
Indianapolis Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial	100.00
Kentland Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial...	3.00
Kik-tha-we-nund Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	50.00
Mary Penrose Wayne Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	100.00
Mississinewa Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
John Paul Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
Paul Revere Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
Piankeshaw Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
Rushville Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	25.00
White River Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
Wythougan Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	20.00
Mrs. S. E. Perkins, State Treasurer (Penny-a-Day)....	5.00

IOWA

Iowa Chapters, Acct. Hangings, Room.....	300.00
Iowa Chapters, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial....	3.00
Onawa Chapter	87.60
Washington Chapter	20.00
Washington Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	3.65

KANKSAS

Kansas Conference, in Honor of Real Daughter.....	8.00
Kansas Conference, Banquet Hall, State Spoon.....	15.00
Kansas Conference, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial..	25.00
Kansas Conference	500.00
Kansas Chapters, Final Payment on Bust.....	20.37

KENTUCKY

Boonesborough Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	76.65
Fincastle Chapter	25.00
Mrs. Charles Roberts of Fincastle Chapter, to Enroll Her Sister, Mrs. Sue Browne Elliott, on the Remembrance Book	50.00
Hart Chapter	10.00
John Marshall Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	33.85
St. Asaph Chapter.....	27.00
Susannah Hart Shelby Chapter.....	70.86

LOUISIANA

Spirit of '76 Chapter.....	15.00
Spirit of '76 Chapter (Penny-a-Day), ctf.....	5.00
Mrs. W. W. Wallis, Spirit of '76 Chapter Certificate..	3.65
Miss Virginia Fairfax, Spirit of '76 Chapter, Certificate.	3.65
Mrs. William O. Hart, Spirit of '76 Chapter, Certificate..	3.65

MAINE

Elizabeth Wadsworth Chapter.....	18.00
Eunice Farnsworth Chapter.....	5.00

MARYLAND

Maryland Chapters, Room.....	605.35
Margaret Brent Chapter, Chair for Banquet Hall.....	17.50
Margaret Brent Chapter, 6 Teaspoons, Banquet Hall....	6.40

MASSACHUSETTS

Abigail Batcheller Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Abigail Phillips Quincy Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Attleboro Chapter, Cornice and Holdbacks, Room.....	10.00
Bunker Hill Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Capt. John Joslin, Jr. Chapter, Room.....	25.00
Col. Thomas Gardner Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Col. Thomas Lothrop Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Col. Timothy Bigelow Chapter, Refinishing Mirror, Room	16.30
Dorothy Quincy Hancock Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Faneuil Hall Chapter, Room.....	22.00
Gen. Israel Putnam Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Gen. Rufus Putnam Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Hannah Winthrop Chapter, Room.....	10.00
John Hancock Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Lydia Cobb Chapter, Room.....	25.00
Lydia Darrah Chapter, Room.....	20.00
Lucy Jackson Chapter, Room.....	25.00
Margaret Corbin Chapter, Room.....	1.00
Martha's Vineyard Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Mary Draper Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Mary Mattoon Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Mercy Warren Chapter, Portrait of Mrs. Calkins, Room	500.00
Nemasket Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Old Blake House Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Old Concord Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Old Mendon Chapter, Room.....	3.00
Old Newbury Chapter, Room.....	25.00
Old State House Chapter, Room.....	5.00
Old South Chapter, Room.....	30.00
Old South Chapter, Room, Chandelier.....	75.00
Paul Revere Chapter, Electric Brackets, Room.....	60.00
Prudence Wright Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Samuel Adams Chapter, Room.....	10.00
Warren and Prescott Chapter, Furniture, Room.....	25.00
John Hancock Chapter.....	50.00
Old North Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial..	5.00
Mrs. Marian Longfellow O'Donoghue of Old North Chapter (Penny-a-Day), Certificate.....	3.65
Mrs. Charles D. Robinson of Old North Chapter (Penny- a-Day), Certificate.....	3.65
Sarah Bradlee Fulton Chapter.....	5.00

MICHIGAN

Michigan Chapters (Penny-a-Day).....	642.58
Michigan Conference.....	75.00
Philip Livingston Chapter.....	5.00
Saginaw Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.95

MISSISSIPPI

Mississippi D. A. R.....	40.50
David Reese Chapter.....	3.00
Holly Springs Chapter.....	5.00

MISSOURI

Bowling Green Chapter.....	5.00
Charity Still Langstaff Chapter.....	25.00
Col. Jonathan Pettibone Chapter.....	5.00
Columbian Chapter.....	25.00

Cornelia Greene Chapter.....	10.00
Dorcas Richardson Chapter.....	5.00
Elizabeth Benton Chapter, and Mrs. Julia G. Hurt of Elizabeth Benton Chapter, to Enroll the Name of Mrs. Julia G. Hurt on the Remembrance Book.....	50.00
Jefferson Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	100.00
Joplin Chapter	5.00
Kansas City Chapter.....	60.00
Laclede Chapter	28.00
St. Louis Chapter, to Enroll Names of Mesdames Ashley Cabell, William Dudley Parish and Edward F. Finney on Remembrance Book.....	150.00
Tabitha Walton Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	3.65
Watson-Van Buren Chapter.....	5.00
NEBRASKA	
Coronado Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
Fort Kearney Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	10.00
Lewis-Clark Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
Ni-ku-mi Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	25.00
Omaha Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	81.50
Otoe Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	3.00
Pawnee Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
Platte Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
Reavis-Ashley Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	28.10
St. Leger Cowley Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	5.00
NEW HAMPSHIRE	
New Hampshire Chapters, Acct. Marking Column.....	3.96
Ashuelot Chapter	25.00
NEW JERSEY	
Boudinot Chapter, to Enroll the Names of Mesdames Charles B. Yardley, State Regent, and Dr. Anna B. Cronthers, on the Remembrance Book.....	100.00
NEW YORK	
Baron Steuben Chapter.....	25.00
Battle Pass Chapter.....	40.00
Buffalo Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial.....	10.00
Camden Chapter.....	25.00
Corp. Josiah Griswold Chapter.....	10.00
Fort Oswego Chapter.....	10.00
Fort Washington Chapter (Penny-a-Day).....	50.00
Mahwenawasigh Chapter, Chair and Plate, Banquet Hall	18.50
Onondaga Chapter	25.00
Onwentsia Chapter	25.00
Otsego Chapter	25.00
Schenectady Chapter	10.00
Ticonderoga Chapter	20.00
Tioughnioga Chapter	25.00
Washington Heights Chapter.....	50.00
Women of '76 Chapter.....	50.00
OHIO	
Cincinnati Chapter	100.00
Col. George Croghan Chapter	25.00
Columbus Chapter	50.00
Fort Industry Chapter	25.00
Lima Chapter	5.00
Mahoning Chapter	15.00
Martha Pitkin Chapter	25.00
New Connecticut Chapter	25.00
Oberlin Chapter	10.00
Toledo Chapter	25.00
Urbana Chapter	10.00
Ursula Wolcott Chapter	45.50
Western Reserve Chapter	25.00
OKLAHOMA	
Oklahoma State Conference	50.00
PENNSYLVANIA	
Pennsylvania Conference—Tablet, Vestibule	80.00
Bellefonte Chapter	10.00
Bradford Chapter	25.00
Brookville Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	50.00

Delaware County Chapter	51.10
Delaware County Chapter—Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial	5.00
Dial Rock Chapter	10.00
Du Bois Chapter	50.00
Fort Antes Chapter	25.00
Fort Augusta Chapter	25.00
Fort McIntosh Chapter	25.00
Gen. Joseph Warren Chapter	18.00
Gen. Joseph Warren Chapter (Penny-a-day)	18.25
Independence Hall Chapter	87.00
Mrs. Alfred G. Saege of Liberty Bell Chapter	20.00
Lycoming Chapter	50.00
Phoebe Bayard Chapter	5.00
Pittsburgh Chapter (Penny-a-day)	246.60
Presque Isle Chapter	10.00
Queen Alliquippa Chapter	25.00
Robert Morris Chapter	10.00
Shikelimo Chapter	50.30
Thomas Leiper Chapter	10.00
Tioga Chapter	50.00
Valley Forge Chapter	20.00
Warrior Run Chapter	10.00
Wellsboro Chapter	50.00
Witness Tree Chapter	10.00
Fort Antes Chapter (Penny-a-Day) certificate	11.00
Gen. Joseph Warren Chapter (Penny-a-Day) certificate	3.65
George Taylor Chapter (Penny-a-Day) certificate	30.00
Philadelphia Chapter (Penny-a-Day) certificate	550.00
Susquehanna Chapter (Penny-a-Day) ctf	7.30
RHODE ISLAND	
Gaspee Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	351.95
Gen. Nathanael Greene Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	13.00
Woonsocket Chapter	100.00
SOUTH DAKOTA	
Thirty-ninth Star Chapter	12.60
TENNESSEE	
Adam Dale Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	25.00
Chickamauga Chapter	50.00
Chickamauga Chapter (Penny-a-Day) ctf	10.45
Cumberland Chapter, and Mesdames Barton, Condon, Dickinson, Hicks, Sims and Washington	50.00
Jackson-Madison Chapter	10.00
Margaret Gaston Chapter	10.00
Mrs. Lucy A. Horton, Old Glory Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	3.65
TEXAS	
Col. George Moffett Chapter	15.00
Pocahontas Chapter	5.00
VERMONT	
Vermont Conference, to place name of Mrs. A. J. Dyer on Remembrance Book	50.00
Mrs. C. S. Caverly and Mrs. F. C. Cleaver of Ann Story Chapter	5.00
Mrs. Warner F. De Lano of Hand's Cove Chapter (Penny-a-Day) certificate	3.65
VIRGINIA	
Falls Church Chapter, Tablet to Mrs. Stewart	1.00
Fort Nelson Chapter—Room	5.00
Fort Nelson Chapter—Bust	5.00
Front Royal-Riverton Chapter—Room	10.00
Joseph Hedges Chapter—Room	10.00
Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter—Room	65.00
WEST VIRGINIA	
West Virginia State Fund (Penny-a-Day)	29.70
Members-at-large (Penny-a-Day)	19.30
Alexander Scott Withers Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	42.00
Buford Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	60.00
Col. John Evans Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	15.00
Col. Charles Lewis Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	10.00
Daniel Davisson Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	50.00

Elizabeth Ludington Hagans Chapter (Penny-a-Day)....	4.00
James Wood Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	50.00
John Hart Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	2.00
John Chenoweth Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	36.00
West Augusta Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	12.00
William Haymond Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	60.00
William Henshaw Chapter (Penny-a-Day)	10.00

WISCONSIN

State Conference, to enroll the name of Mrs. Ada Pratt Kimberly in the Remembrance Book.....	50.00
John Bell Chapter	10.00
Mrs. William Howard Crosby, V.P.G. State Spoon for Banquet Hall	15.00
Fond du Lac Chapter, Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial.	2.00
Fond du Lac Chapter	10.00
Fort Atkinson Chapter	25.00
Henry Dodge Chapter	5.00
Kenosha Chapter	10.00
Marshfield Chapter	5.00
Milwaukee Chapter	25.00
Nequi-Antigo-Siebah Chapter	10.00
Oshkosh Chapter	55.00
Racine Chapter	10.00
Waupun Chapter	10.00

WYOMING

Cheyenne Chapter	30.00
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13,225.57

Liquidation and Endowment Fund, Mrs. William T. Block,
Chairman

2,222.69

Commission on Recognition Pins

44.30

Interest on Bonds

45.00

Use of Building

Nordhoff Guild, Luncheon

76.07

International Kindergarten Union

109.83

Rubenstein Club

33.00

218.90

Transfer from Current Fund Ordered by Twenty-second Con-
tinental Congress

15,000.00

Total Receipts

\$31,681.46

\$39,375.73

EXPENDITURES

Life Membership Fees refunded

Lucretia Shaw Chapter, Conn. \$ 12.50

David Conklin Chapter, Neb. 12.50

25.00

Bills Payable

30,000.00

Interest on Bills Payable

351.38

Bronze Tablet of Mrs. Emily Hendree Park, Library, Ga.

178.00

Draperies—Room, Iowa

300.00

Portrait of Mrs. Calkins, Room, Mass.

500.00

Refinishing mirror, Room, Mass.

16.30

Lounge and plate for costumer, Retiring Room, Box, Mass. ...

79.25

Bronze Tablet, Vestibule, Pa.

160.00

Plate, Room, Va.

1.35

Total Disbursements

31,811.28

Balance on hand May 31, 1913.

\$ 7,564.45

On deposit in American Security and Trust Company Bank. ...

\$ 7,564.45

Cash balance on deposit in bank, May 31, 1913.

\$ 7,564.45

Permanent Investment, Chicago and Alton Bonds.

2,314.84

TOTAL PERMANENT FUND, Cash and Investment

\$ 9,879.29

Respectfully,

OLIVE POWELL RANDELL,
Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R.

On question of information by Mrs. Hogan regarding a certain item in the report, and explanation by Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Hogan moved:

That the statement "Proceedings of Twenty-second Congress" be changed to Total of expenditures for Twenty-second Congress from April 1 to May 31.

Seconded by Mrs. Cumings and carried.

Mrs. Bassett stated that she had asked to have the item of postage on the Smithsonian reports charged in future against the business office, also postage for the Lineage books.

The Chairman of the Auditing Committee, Mrs. Hall, stated that there had been no time to call a meeting of her committee since the report of the Auditor was received, but he assured her that all money had been paid out on proper vouchers.

Mrs. Hall asked for information regarding the item of transfer of a clerk to the permanent roll, with raise in salary, stating that this action was not taken at the last Board meeting but purported to have been duly approved by the proper authorities. The Registrar General, Mrs. Brumbaugh, explained that under instructions by a previous Board the present practice is to notify the Finance Committee of an increase in the salary of the clerk, without bringing the particular case before the Board, as the officer in charge of such clerk is authorized to take such action. This was discussed by the President General, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Lockwood.

Mrs. Perley moved acceptance of the report of the chairman of the Auditing Committee. Motion carried.

On motion, duly seconded, the statement of the Treasurer General was received as read.

The President General said there seemed to be a question of ruling on the matter of removing a clerk from the temporary to the permanent roll, that conflict in previous statutes might call for elaborate discussion, and in view of the pressure of business suggested that a motion be offered placing the clerk referred to on the permanent roll, thus leaving until some subsequent time discussion of the constitutionality of such action by the respective officers under delegated authority from the Board.

Mrs. Brumbaugh then moved: That Miss Wingate be placed on the permanent roll, to take effect April 15. Seconded by Mrs. Guernsey and carried.

The Registrar General offered the following motions:

1. That hereafter lists made by a clerk in the Registrar General's office from data kept in the office of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters and the Treasurer General be made by clerks in the offices in which that data is kept.

2. That changes on the records formerly made by a clerk in the office of the Vice President General be made by a clerk in the Registrar General's office from data furnished her by the Treasurer General's office.

3. That all copies of papers made in the office of the Registrar General be sent direct from that office.

4. That Chapter Regents be allowed data from the papers in the office of the Registrar General only upon permission of the member.

These were discussed by Mrs. Van Landingham, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Augsburg, Mrs. Lawrence. Mrs. Foster moved the acceptance of the recommendations offered by the Registrar General. Seconded by Mrs. Cumings and carried, the President General remarking that she hoped a very generous spirit would be observed in according permission to inspect papers.

The question of acceptance of the Registrar General's report (containing a long list of names of members to be accepted) without it being read came up, and was discussed pro and con by Mrs. Kite and Mrs. Hogan respectively, and several others; Mrs. Buel moved:

That the names of applicants on the Registrar General's list be read to-day and settlement of the constitutionality of omitting the reading be deferred to another meeting.

Seconded by Mrs. Perley and motion carried.

The Registrar General read the following report, and Mrs. Bassett moved acceptance of the report and that the Secretary General cast the ballot for the election of the 989 persons whose names had been read, as members of the Society. Motion carried and action taken.

Report of the Registrar General, N. S. D. A. R., June 4, 1913:

Madam President General, Members of the National Board of Management: I have the honor to report the following:

Applications presented to the Board,....	989
Supplemental papers returned unverified.	37
Original papers returned unverified,.....	7
Supplemental papers returned unverified.	37
Permits for the Insignia issued,.....	379
Permits for the Ancestral Bars issued,....	244
Permits for the Recognition Pins issued.	314
Applications of Real Daughters presented	0
Number of letters, including duplicate	
papers, issued	2,144
Number of cards issued.....	1,402
Original papers examined, and not yet	
verified	465
Supplemental papers examined, and not	
yet verified	820
New Records verified	266
Certificates issued	1,248
Original papers awaiting Notary's seal.	12
Supplemental papers awaiting Notary's	
seal	5
Total number of papers verified.....	1,313
Number of application papers	
copied	\$24.00 96
Number of lists copied.....	5.50 2

\$29.50

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERIN E. B. BRUMBAUGH,
Registrar General, N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Walworth, Founder, offered the following resolution (read by Mrs. Bassett):

That the President General be and hereby is authorized to appoint a committee to collect funds and to select an artist to paint a portrait of Miss Eugenia Washington, to be placed in the Founders' room of Memorial Continental Hall.

Mrs. Bassett moved the adoption of this resolution. Seconded by Mrs. Orton and carried.

Mrs. Sternberg moved: That the House Committee be empowered to carry out the recommendations of the President General's report which were accepted this morning.

Seconded by Mrs. Ransdell and carried.

The report of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters was, in her absence, read by the Recording Secretary General, as follows:

Report of the Vice-President General in charge of the organization of Chapters, June 4, 1913.

June 4, 1913

The following State Regents and State Vice Regents are presented for confirmation; reports not having been received from their respective States in time for them to be confirmed by the Congress:

State Regent of Idaho, Mrs. Charles W. Pursell.

State Vice Regent of Idaho, Mrs. Adolph Blitz.

State Regent of Montana, Mrs. Edward A. Morley.

State Vice Regent of Montana, Mrs. Charles A. Blackburn.

State Regent of Nevada, Miss Bird M. Wilson.

State Regent of South Carolina, Mrs. F. Louise Mayes.

State Vice Regent of South Carolina, Mrs. A. Clarence Ligon.

State Regent of Utah, Mrs. Mary M. F. Allen.

Through their respective State Regents, the following members-at-large ask for authorization to organize chapters:

Mrs. Cora I. Allison Buchanan, of California, Missouri.

Mrs. Lucy L. Wilder Correll, of Hebron, Nebraska.

Mrs. D. Lula Brown Engelken, of Le Mars, Iowa.

Mrs. Cora Stickney Harper, of Fort Pierce, Florida.

Mrs. Eleanor Holmes Lindsay, of Frankfort, Kentucky.

Mrs. Mabel Beazley Livingston, of Mountain Grove, Missouri.

Mrs. Elsie Kellogg Musselman, of Traverse City, Michigan.

Mrs. Nanna Sabrina Synge, of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Olivia J. Hood Tompkins, of Mobile, Alabama.

Mrs. Mary W. Truesdell, of York Beach, Maine.

Mrs. Sarah L. B. Walker, of Monroe, Georgia.

Mrs. Sybil Wickersham, of Weeping Water, Nebraska.

The Board is asked to authorize the formation of chapters at Johnston, South Carolina; Eatonton, Georgia; Jackson, Kentucky; Kings-tree, South Carolina; Saint Simons, Georgia.

The reappointment of Mrs. May Fontaine Surghor as Organizing Regent at Monroe, La., is requested.

The resignation of Mrs. Emma Lewis Ruse, of Mountain Grove, Missouri, has been reported.

The appointment of Mrs. Asenath Frances Osgood Dailey as Organizing Regent at Needham Heights has expired by time limitation.

The chapter organized at Aberdeen, So. Dakota, petitions the Board for the use of the name "MacPherson." James MacPherson, for whom the chapter is named, translated the Ossian poems, is buried in Westminster Abbey and is the ancestor of the MacPhersons of Revolutionary fame.

The chapter organizing at Enid, Okla., asks the Board for permission to name their chapter "Washington Irving" because of local interest. He made a trip through Oklahoma, and many things of interest are written about this trip.

The "Margaret Br nt" chapter requests the Board to allow them to change their name to "John Eager Howard" because it is closely allied with Maryland's history. The name stood out pre-eminent during the Revolutionary period.

The "Lincoln" chapter of Lincoln, Ill., petitions the Board for the addition of the name "Abraham" to their chapter name. The present Regent of the chapter writes: "We find that the name was suggested for the chapter not because of its local associations but for its deeper significance as the name of our martyred president in whose honor the city of Lincoln was originally named. We now desire to prefix Abraham."

Officers' list written for, 124; officers' list received, 166; letters received, 189; letters written, 176.

The card catalogue reports: Members' cards, 1,159; changes, 822; deaths, 0; dropped, 0; resigned, 0; reinstated, 3; marriages, 94.

Admitted membership, April 21, 101,062; actual membership, April 21, 77,916.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES INGRAHAM MANN.

Supplementary Report

To be confirmed as Organizing Regents after they have been admitted to the National Society:

Mrs. Annie Johnson Roberts, of Fairburn, Georgia.

Mrs. Mattie Joe White Ponder, of Forsyth, Georgia.

Mrs. Sarah Crosby Pendleton, of Augusta, Illinois.

Mrs. Jewel Davis Scarborough, of Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Lizzie W. Tindall, of Salisbury, Missouri.

Mrs. Bassett moved acceptance of the report; seconded by Mrs. Buel and carried.

The President General stated that she had received requests for authority to organize chapters in Houston, Texas, and Little Rock, Arkansas. Mrs. Van Landingham moved: That the chapters requesting formation as reported by the President General, be authorized to organize. Seconded by Mrs. Orton and carried.

In accordance with a previous authorization for sending out a leaflet containing informa-

tion, the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters submitted the following suggestions, read by the Recording Secretary General.

I suggest that chapters do not hold their annual election in March.

At the regular meeting of the National Board of Management, held Saturday, April 12, 1913, it was voted:

That the Board of Management be authorized to issue a leaflet of instructions to State Regents.
and: That the matter of leaflet be referred to the office of Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters.

According to the Constitution as amended in 1912, the State Regent and State Vice Regent may be elected in their own State, but they must be confirmed at the Continental Congress.

A State Regent is a member ex-officio of the National Board of Management and is entitled to represent her State at the meetings of the National Board of Management and the Continental Congress. In the absence of the State Regent, the State Vice Regent may serve in her place, and represent the State for her.

The terms of State Regents vary in the different States and depend on the State By-laws.

The State Regents may appoint, unless the State By-laws provide other methods, State Chairmen, Committees to correspond with National Committees in so far as seems expedient in the different States.

The State Regent must sign all applications of persons desiring to become members-at-large, of the N. S. D. A. R.

The State Regent may send to the President General before February 15 the names of two young ladies to serve as Pages for the Continental Congress. These young ladies must be members of the N. S. D. A. R., and their full name, address, and national number should be sent. The President General alone has the right to appoint these Pages and may refuse to make the appointment if she thinks it advisable.

The State Regent should submit to the Continental Congress a report of the work of her State for the year, and Chapter Regents are asked to send in these reports to the State Regent by March 1. This report should be presented in duplicate, one for the Recording Secretary General, and one for the official Stenographer.

State Regents, on application to the Treasurer General, will be reimbursed for their expenditures for postage. For stationery, application should be made to the Business office, and the engraving must be paid for. The paper is supplied by the Society.

By application to the Registrar General, a State Regent may obtain a list of chapters and regents, and lists of members-at-large. The price of the list of chapter Regents is \$5.00 and the other list costs simply for the typewriting. Only State Regents may have the list of members-at-large, and other D. A. R.

desiring chapter lists must present an order signed by the State Regent.

State Regents must send to the Business office requests to have rooms reserved when they are desired for State meetings during the Congress.

The State Regent may appoint an organizing Regent to form a new chapter and should send the name to the Vice President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, who will present this to the National Board of Management for confirmation. This organizing Regent must be a member-at-large in good standing. Do not present the name of a person not yet admitted to the Society.

Mrs. Maupin, State Regent of Virginia, asked whether State Vice Regents and other State officers have the right to vote at the conference—whether their election by the conference entitled them to a vote at that conference. Discussed by Mrs. Guernsey, Mrs. Augsburg, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Lockwood, Mrs. Perley, Mrs. Van Landingham. The President General said the ruling of the February Board, to which Mrs. Augsburg referred, that such officers could not vote unless they represented some chapter as a Regent or delegate, holds good until some other action is taken.

Mrs. Maupin asked whether the National law governing the representation of delegates to State conferences is not in effect. The President General referred her to the Constitution. Mrs. Foster read from the minutes of the February Board meeting in the American Monthly Magazine.

The President General spoke of the expense involved in sending out separate leaflets containing information regarding the various departments of the Society, and Mrs. Foster moved: That a committee be appointed to get all necessary data and have it placed in one envelope for mailing. Seconded by Mrs. Thayer and carried.

Mrs. Sternberg, Chairman of Finance Committee moved:

That all the temporary clerks be informed by the proper authority that their services are no longer required, with the exception of Miss Boswell, her employment in the building having been arranged for. Seconded by Mrs. Richardson and carried.

The Recording Secretary General submitted the following report:

Madam President General, and Members of the National Board of Management, N. S. D. A. R.:

The Recording Secretary General has a brief record to submit to you of the work done in her office, beginning with Monday, April 21, following the annual Congress of 1913.

Letters written, 193; letters received, 380; cards written, 35; cards received, 1; notification cards sent to new members, admitted April 21, 1913, 116; "Year Books" received, 0; "Booklets" received, 0.

All of these subjects appertain strictly to the office of the Recording Secretary General, and is a portion only of the work performed by the clerical and stenographic force installed

there. The sending out of "Notifications to new members" alone is an immense and rapidly growing task, as one may readily see from the figures noted above. There has also been made a record of and signatures appended to the following list:

Charters signed, 30; Certificates of Membership signed, 1,016; Commissions to State Regents, 42; Commissions to Chapter Regents, 17; Re-election notifications to State Regents, 30.

Circular letters, quite a number, the most important of which comes from the "Annie Stockton" Chapter of Burlington, N. J., regarding the purchase of "The Franklin Cabin House" which is to be renovated and eventually thrown open to the public. Also the circular letter sent to Mrs. Margaret L. H. Hicks, National Chairman of the "Children and Sons of the Republic" Committee, from the "American Institute of Child Life" is at her request to be presented to the Board.

Bereavement has occurred since last we assembled in the family of Mrs. Arthur Maxwell Parker, State Regent of Michigan, and in the family of Mrs. Thomas Kite, V. P. G., from Ohio, Mrs. Kite's father having been "called away."

All the letters of condolence and official notices in connection with the Twenty-second Continental Congress, and the last meeting of the National Board of Management, were written and mailed at once. The reports of State Regents, and other reports which had been left in my office, have been turned over to the Chairman of the Magazine Committee, who has charge of the printing of the Proceedings.

The amendments to the Constitution which were submitted to the Congress by the Revision Committee, and which must be sent out within ninety days after the Congress, according to the Constitution, are typewritten and awaiting your approval before they are printed and sent out by the Corresponding Secretary General. In order to save postage the notice of the ruling of the Board April 12, in regard to the chapters reporting to their State Regents by March 1, will be sent out at the same time.

The new officers' list was typewritten at once, and a copy given to all the officers requesting it. The list, so far as complete, was at once sent to the Magazine, and has now been brought up to date. The printing of this list for distribution was somewhat delayed by the failure of some few States to report the results of their elections, and it was necessary to send letters and finally telegrams before this information could be received and the list completed. They have, however, been secured and the list has been printed on our printing machine and is ready for distribution.

A verbatim report and minutes of the last meeting of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee (April 11, 1913) have been prepared, and the Minutes turned over to Mrs. Terry, the ex-Secretary, for her signature before approval at the next meeting. A verbatim report of the Board meeting just preceding the Congress, April 12, 1913, has been written and the Minutes of this meeting pub-

lished in the Magazine. The verbatim report and Minutes of the meeting of April 21 have been prepared, and the Minutes, containing all motions made, carried and approved, reports submitted by different offices and chairmen of committees, have been prepared and will appear in the June number of the Magazine. Proof of all these Minutes has been read, and also of those Board meetings which had been sent to the Magazine before the Congress. All minutes of Board meetings are published up to date.

The list of Pages for the Congress has been correctly prepared, and after receiving the O. K. of the Chairman of the Page Committee, has been forwarded to Caldwell & Co., with the order for the spoons, as provided for by a motion of the Congress.

The work on the appointment of the different committees has progressed steadily, and the notices sent as soon as the lists were received from the President General. So far 527 committee appointments have been made, and the lists have been kept up to date, and the acceptances and regrets recorded. Notices of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee meeting, a Magazine Committee meeting and a Finance Committee meeting have also been sent out from this office.

It is hoped and expected copies of the Proceedings of the Congress held in April will reach each chapter very early in July.

Respectfully submitted,

ABBIE WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,

(Mrs. William C.)

Recording Secretary General.

N. S. D. A. R.

The President General suggested that all proposed amendments to the Constitution be put in parliamentary language and stated that with consent of the Board she would have them so prepared by competent authorities.

Mrs. Bassett, Historian General, submitted the following report:

My report will embody only the most pronounced and gratifying developments in the work of my Department. The inspiration of a series of daily conferences throughout the week of Congress still shows itself an abiding influence in the stream of letters coming and going in my office regarding the many new departments looking toward a wider sphere for the Historian's Department.

The importance attaching to the Government's request for our co-operation in the great field of research for family records and preservation of historical data means much to your Historian, who has worked for two years to bring about a closer affiliation in the lines of genealogical and historical research with all agencies which would help in this great work of perfecting our complete records of American-born citizens. The appointment by Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, when President General, of a Committee to confer with the Secretaries of War and of the Navy on the subject of collecting historical data is the first real step looking toward the establishment by the N. S. D. A. R. of a fuller, deeper and more far-reaching genealogical research department and the

preservation of all records of historic value than has hitherto been thought out.

Our Historical Department has introduced the great work of copying of earliest marriage records, and listing of wills throughout the country, in the hope of stimulating all chapter Historians to do a specific work in each town and hamlet, as a preparation for the second great step of "indexing all records" now in process of being compiled for use of copyists.

I am proud to note that chapters and individuals are rousing to the appreciation of the superhuman self evident fact that an hereditary patriotic order that in one branch of its activity at least is not specially devoted to historic research and preservation of family records is lacking in the basic factor in its organization. This gives me the opportunity to say again that in laying special stress on fuller, clearer and more definitely and accurately worked out lines of family descent we will raise the standard of our organizations for accurate, faithful genealogical records for reference, and increase the value of our lineage books when in conjunction with the glorious services and achievements of our ancestors we give to their names the complete recital of lineage direct from earliest dates and lines to present generations to-day.

Acting by appointment as the substitute for the appointee of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, Hon. Pres. Gen., I had the great honor on Monday, June 2, of presenting to Midshipman George Angell Andrews at the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, the cup annually given by the N. S. D. A. R. to their graduates excelling in the subjects of seamanship and international law. Many prizes are offered the midshipmen for excellence in various branches of study, but in the moments at my disposal it was a great pleasure to avow the belief that the underlying principle of the peace movement of to-day rested upon the interpretation and understanding of international laws; and that belief in them was a better means than war for securing notice that the understanding of international law would cement international friendship—not destroy it. Our interest in the cup and its meaning to midshipmen who shall study seamanship and international law in order to defend and protect our nation with understanding and wider knowledge should not end in this single evidence of our thought of them. It is a part of our work to give zest to this branch of educational service.

The only words to the winner were the transposed words used by Nicolay in summing up the character of Lincoln and would be, I believe, the wish of every Daughter to these Naval Cadets of our American Navy:

Be the type and example of your country,
your race, your government.
Wear honors without pride,
Wield power without oppression.

In meeting success or failure have but one motto—

Death before Dishonor.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY C. BASSETT,
Historian General.

At the conclusion of her report she moved: That the small amount charged against the head clerk in the Historian General's office for tardiness, already covered by overtime, be canceled. Seconded by Mrs. Kite, and carried. Mrs. Kite moved acceptance of the report with thanks; seconded and carried.

Mrs. Lockwood moved: That Mrs. Johnson, Compiler of the Lineage Book, be taken from the time roll of this building and that the methods she has followed so successfully for sixteen years be continued in the future. Seconded by Mrs. Cumings and carried. Mrs. Bassett stated that she had endeavored before to have this action taken but had been told it could not be done. Mrs. Richardson said the above recommendation was also embodied in the forthcoming report of the House and Grounds Committee.

Mrs. Lockwood read the following report by the Corresponding Secretary General, and preferred a request by the clerk to the Corresponding Secretary General for permission to take the balance of her annual leave from last year. This request was referred to the House Committee, on motion by Mrs. Brumbaugh, seconded by Mrs. Sternberg.

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL, NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

The following report covers correspondence attended to and supplies sent from the office of Corresponding Secretary General for the months of April and May, 1913:

Letters received, 913; letters written, 793; application blanks mailed, 8,744; Constitutions mailed, 470; Circular "How to Become a Member," 802; miniature blanks, 727; officers' lists, 689; transfer cards, 488.

In accordance with motion of the Board bids have been asked for from Washington firms on Certificates of Membership and these bids have been submitted to the Executive Committee for its consideration. All other business referred by the Board to this office has been attended to, fourteen letters in connection therewith having been written.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY S. LOCKWOOD,
For Mrs. J. C. Burrows,
Corresponding Secretary General,
N. S. D. A. R.

Mrs. Hamilton moved:

That we decline with thanks to permit the Martha Berry Chapter of Fort Scott, Kansas, to use the insignia on a cook book. Seconded by Mrs. Kite, and carried.

Moved, seconded and carried, that the protest presented against the Hayes bill be endorsed.

Mrs. Orton moved to lay on the table a request by Benjamin Alford, of Louisville (?), that the D. A. R. endorse his design for a flag. Motion carried.

Request that the Daughters support the Kern bill was referred to the Committee on Legislation.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved: That request be granted to use insignia on boulder to commemorate treaty with the Indians. (This from a Minnesota Chapter.) Seconded by Mrs. Boyle and carried.

Mrs. Sternberg moved acceptance of the report of the Corresponding Secretary General. Motion carried.

After discussion by Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Van Landingham, Mrs. Cumings, Mrs. Bassett moved: That the Lincoln Chapter be allowed to change its name to the Abraham Lincoln Chapter. Seconded by Mrs. Cumings and carried.

Mrs. Sternberg read the following report of the Librarian General; which was accepted on motion:

THE LIBRARY OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

"The Library was officially recognized as part of the working equipment of the Society at the Congress of 1896 when the office of Librarian General was created, and Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee elected to fill the position."

From a collection of one hundred and twenty-five books the library now numbers nearly six thousand five hundred titles, an increase largely due to gifts and exchanges, as prior to 1905 there was no fund for their purchase. Since then fifty dollars has been made an annual appropriation. The character of the library is historical with special reference to Americana in its subdivisions of genealogy, biography, and local histories.

The publications of historical and genealogical societies constitute an important part together with the year books of other patriotic societies, and our own chapter year books.

A bronze tablet and a collection of books have been placed in the library in memory of Mrs. Emily Hendree Park, State Regent of Georgia, 1899-1902, and Vice-President General, 1904-1907; these books relate to Georgia.

The library is open to the public for reference only during the regular office hours, and many avail themselves of this privilege.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

I have the honor to report the following accessions since the Board meeting of April 12.

BOOKS

History of Texas for Schools. Compiled by Anna J. H. Pennybacker, Austin P. V. Pennybacker, 1908. Presented by Mrs. J. R. Stockton.

Notes on the Settlement and Indian Wars of the Western Parts of Virginia and Pennsylvania from 1763 to 1783 inclusive. By Joseph Dodridge. Published by John S. Ritenour and William T. Lindsey, Pittsburgh, 1913. Presented by the Washington County, Pennsylvania, Chapter.

History of Lebanon, N. H. By Charles A. Downs. Concord, The Rumford Press, 1908. Presented by Submit Wheatley Chapter.

Women of the American Revolution. By Elizabeth F. Ellet. With an introduction by Anne Hollingsworth Wharton. Philadelphia.

G. W. Jacobs & Co., 1900. Two volumes. Presented by Henry Laurens Chapter.

Hardyston Memorial, History of the township and the North Presbyterian Church, Hardyston, Sussex Co., New Jersey. By Alanson A. Haines, Newton, New Jersey. Herald Print, 1888. Presented by Mrs. Arnold Guyot.

Historic Churches. Compiled by the members of the Livingston Manor Chapter. 1912-1913.

The Spanish Regime in Missouri. A collection of papers and documents relating to Upper Louisiana principally within the present limits of Missouri during the dominion of Spain. By Louis Houck. Two volumes. Chicago, R. R. Donnelly & Sons, 1909. Presented by Mrs. Louis Houck.

History of the Upper country of South Carolina from the earliest period to the close of the War of Independence. By John H. Logan. Volume 1. Columbia, S. G. Courtenay, 1854. Presented by Mrs. Emma Marshall.

Documents relating to the invasion of Canada and the surrender of Detroit, 1812. Selected and edited by E. A. Cruikshank. Ottawa. Government Printing Bureau, 1913. Publications of the Canadian Archives, Number 7. Presented by the Archivist.

Dedication exercises at the Massachusetts Military Monument, Valley Forge, Penna., Also list of officers in Massachusetts organizations in the Revolutionary War and list of Massachusetts officers who served at Valley Forge. Compiled by Brigadier General Philip Reade. Boston. Wright & Potter Printing Co., 1912. Presented by the compiler.

Annals of the early settlers' Association of Cuyahoga County, Ohio. Cleveland, Forman-Bassett Co., 1912. Presented by Mrs. A. J. Hodge.

Addresses delivered before the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of New York, 1911-1912. Presented by the Society.

Life of Thaddeus Stevens. By James Albert Woodburn. Indianapolis, Bobbs-Merrill Co., 1913.

Maternal Ancestry of Charles Whiting McNair. By Hannah Louis MacNair Crawford. Boston, privately printed, 1912. Presented by Mrs. Frank Crawford.

Miles Merwin 1623-1697, and one branch of his descendants. Compiled by Caroline Gaylord Newton, 1909. Presented by the Compiler.

Commodore Joshua Barney. Many interesting facts connected with the life of Commodore Joshua Barney, hero of the United States Navy 1776-1812, also compilation of Genealogical material relating to Commodore Joshua Barney's ancestors and descendants with other Barney family data. Compiled by William Frederick Adams. Springfield, 1912. Presented by Everett Hosmer Barney.

The Denman family history. Compiled by Mrs. H. N. Harris. Glendale. Glendale News Press, 1912. Presented by Mrs. John K. Roundey.

History of the Sage and Slocum families of England and America. By Henry Whittemore,

N. Y. 1908. Presented by Mrs. Russell Sage.
Vital records of Bolton and Vernon. Hartford Connecticut Historical Society. 1909.

Vital Records of Norwich, Conn., 1659-1848. Part 1. Hartford Society of Colonial Wars of Connecticut, 1912. The last two purchased.
Lineage Book N. S. D. A. R. Volume 35 (34001-35000) Washington, 1912. Two copies. Presented by the Society.

Inscriptions from graves in Anne Arundel County, Md. Collected by members of the Anne Arundel Chapter. Presented by the Chapter.

Suburban Directory of Maryland and Virginia towns adjacent to the District of Columbia. Compiled and published by Justus C. Nelson. Washington, 1913. Presented by Justus C. Nelson.

Life and Times of Washington. Compiled by J. E. Schroeder. Two volumes. New York, Fry & Co.

American Monthly Magazine. Vols. 7-39 inclusive. Washington, 1895-1911. Presented by Miss Elizabeth Heffenstein through the Philadelphia Chapter.

London Illustrated News. Two volumes. Volume 31 and a volume composed of various numbers from 1844-1848 inclusive. Presented by Miss Alice Gilpin, through the Philadelphia Chapter.

Parsons Family. Descendants of Cornel Joseph Parsons, Springfield, 1636—Northampton 1655. By Henry Parsons, New York, Frank Allaben Genealogical Co., 1912.

The following fifteen volumes were received from the Pelican Chapter of Shreveport for the Louisiana case:

History of Louisiana. By Charles Gayarre. Third edition. Four volumes. New Orleans, Armand Hawkins, 1885.

Social Life in Old New Orleans. Being recollections of my girlhood. By Eliza Ripley. New York, D. Appleton & Co., 1912.

New Orleans, The Place and the People. By Grace King. New York, Macmillan & Co., 1896.

Some Notables of New Orleans. By May W. Mount. 1896.

Lafitte of Louisiana. By Mary Deveraux. Boston, 1902.

Bonaventure. By George W. Cable. New York, 1888.

The Price of Silence. By M. E. M. Davis, Boston, 1907.

Strange True Stories of Louisiana. By George W. Cable. New York. 1901.

Monsieur Motte. By Grace King. New York, 1888.

Napoleon Jackson. The Gentleman of Plush Rocker. By Ruth McEmery Stuart. New York, 1902.

The Moons of Balbanca. By M. E. M. Davis. Boston, 1908.

Jaconette: Her Loves. By M. E. M. Davis, Boston, 1901.

Exposition Year Book of Women's Clubs of the State of Louisiana, 1904.

Compiled by Frances Austin Arnold Carroll-ton, 1896.

Leftwick Lineage. By Jane Griffith Keys. (The last two presented by Miss Elizabeth Austin in exchange.)

Pilgrims to the Monuments of the early settlers of Brandon, Vermont. By William Van Derveer Berg. Presented by Jennie DeWolf Bradley.

Report, 1912, of the Society of Genealogists of London.

Catalogue of engraved portraits of family interest, also portrait of Naval, Military, Musical, Dramatic, Scientific, Antiquarian and other personages. Suckling & Co., London, 1913.

(The last two presented by Mrs. Amos G. Draper.)

Illustrated Guide to the Allen County Court House. Compiled by Georgiana W. Bond and Ada C. Fenton. Fort Wayne, Singmaster Printing Co., 1913. Presented by Mrs. Martha Brandriff Hanna.

The Birth of the Constitution. An Address by Edmund Wetmore. Presented.

Rhode Island Independence Day May 4, 1776. Patriotic Observance in the schools of Rhode Island May 5, 1913.

Twenty-second annual program for the observance of Labor Day in the schools of Rhode Island, May 9, 1913.

(The last two presented by Mrs. Richard Jackson Barker.)

PERIODICALS

American Monthly Magazine, May.
Illinois State Historical Society Journal, April.

Medford Historical Society Register, April.
Medford Historical Society Register, April.

Missouri Historical Review, April.
National Genealogical Society Quarterly, April.

Newport Historical Society Bulletin, April.
New England Historical and Genealogical Register, April.

New York Public Library Bulletin, April, May.

Ohio Archaeological and Historical Quarterly, April.

Penn Germania, March.

The above report includes 79 books, 9 pamphlets and 11 periodicals. Seventy-five books were presented. Two received in exchange and two purchases. Nine pamphlets were presented.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. STERNBERG,
Librarian General.

June 4, 1913.
The Assistant Historian General, Mrs. Orton, reported as follows:

I have no formal report but I have something to say of interest. It is the work of the Assistant Historian to edit the Smithsonian Report and in order that the report might be such a volume as the organization might be proud of and also to get instructions I went, after the Congress, down to the Institute and had an interview in which I learned that the reports are open to the criticism that only by reading the entire series could an outsider

PAMPHLETS

The Alexander-Austin-Arnold families.

become familiar with all the workings of the organization. Therefore each volume ought to be complete in itself to a certain extent so that it could be referred to as a reference book and used in that way, and in order to carry out these suggestions I have conferred with each officer and asked her authorization for a brief account to be incorporated in that book, and now I bring it to you for the approval of the Board and hope that I may meet the requirements. I am simply going to insert an introductory chapter.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved: That the report and recommendation of the Assistant Historian be accepted. Seconded by Mrs. Guernsey and carried.

Mrs. Lawrence, State Regent of Illinois, has just promised the Library a very valuable gift, a work her husband has just compiled and published, that will be of great interest to all.

Mrs. Bond, V. P. G. of Mass., has sent a six vol. library edition of Bancroft's History of the U. S. A., but not yet received.

The Chairman of the House and Grounds Committee, Mrs. Richardson, read a letter of resignation from Miss Wadlin, the official stenographer, and Mrs. Barnes moved:

That the resignation of the official stenographer be accepted and that provision be made for the allowance of one month's vacation with pay. Seconded by Mrs. Bassett and carried.

The Chairman of the House and Grounds Committee, Mrs. Richardson, offered a recommendation: That tourists be restricted to the first floor and that States having articles of interest to visitors in State rooms permit these relics to be taken to the museum where they can be placed on exhibition and better seen by the public, in cases or given necessary protection.

The motion was favored by Mrs. Lockwood, and objected to by Mrs. Hogan; Mrs. Foster. Mrs. Sternberg moved that the recommendation be divided, and Mrs. Richardson re-stated the recommendation as follows: That tourists be restricted to the first floor. After further discussion, in which it was stated that under the present system tourists are restricted to the corridors on the upper floors and not allowed in the rooms, Mrs. Hogan moved: That the first recommendation of the Chairman of House and Grounds be rejected. Seconded by Mrs. Foster, and carried.

Mrs. Richardson resubmitted:

The recommendation that States having articles of interest to visitors in State rooms permit these relics to be taken to the museum where they can be placed on exhibition and better seen by the public, in cases or given necessary protection.

After discussion by Mrs. Guernsey and Mrs. Lockwood, it was moved by Mrs. Kite: That this be referred to the various States for consideration. Motion carried.

Mrs. Richardson recommended: That in future we loan the auditorium only for meetings of the D. A. R., Children of the American Revolution and the National Mary Washington Memorial Association.

Mrs. Van Landingham called attention to the action of Congress two years ago empowering the President General to decide the occasions when the auditorium was to be used.

Mrs. Richardson's next recommendation was, That no clerk be placed on either the permanent or temporary roll, or change made in salaries until the matter has been brought to the Committee on Building and Grounds to be presented to the National Board for approval.

Acceptance of this recommendation was moved by Mrs. Kite, seconded by Mrs. Hamilton, and carried.

Mrs. Richardson recommended the purchase of a filing case for the room of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization, and Mrs. Buel moved:

That the necessary filing case for room of the Vice President General in Charge of Organization be authorized by the Board.

Seconded by Mrs. Hall, and carried.

Next recommendation: That on account of the congested conditions in some of the offices, some of the clerks be transferred from overcrowded rooms to rooms not now occupied.

Discussed by Mrs. Brumbaugh, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Kite. Acceptance moved by Mrs. Brumbaugh, seconded by Mrs. Kite, and carried.

Recommended (by Mrs. Richardson): That all members of the Society shall be admit ed to the building between the hours of 9.30 a. m. and 4 p. m., and may themselves go about the building or show their friends about.

Acceptance moved by Mrs. Kite. Motion carried.

Mrs. Richardson recommended: That the clerks be given one hour for lunch in the future, and that we discontinue paying the charwoman two dollars a week for services to clerks during lunch hour, thus saving \$8 a month.

Mrs. Hall moved that this be referred to the Committee on House and Grounds, with power to act. Seconded by Mrs. Van Landingham and carried.

Mrs. Richardson presented a resolution by the joint committees on Finance, and on Building and Grounds, That Mrs. Smoot's request for the restoration of the portrait be granted (sum not to exceed \$18) and that the committee be instructed to have the work finished before the June meeting.

Moved and seconded that the Board approve this action. Motion carried.

Recommendation No. 2, Joint Committee: That the Board make some definite decision regarding the responsibility of the States and Chapters for maintenance of State and Chapter rooms and furnishings after they have been transferred to and accepted by the National Society, so that the rulings be uniform, and apply to each State alike.

Discussed by Mrs. Kite, Mrs. Smoot, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Brumbaugh moved, That the necessary expenses for keeping the rooms in repair be borne by the general Society, at the discretion of the House and Grounds Committee. Motion carried.

Recommendation No. 3, Joint committee: That all temporary clerks be employed for one

month at \$30 per month, that all clerks taken on for promotion be paid \$50 after the first month, but still be considered temporary clerks for the first six months.

Mrs. Brumbaugh moved acceptance of this recommendation. Motion carried.

Mrs. Richardson proposed the appointment of Miss Grace Lincoln Temple as advisor, without pay, to House and Grounds Committee on all interior purchases and decorations. Mrs. Lockwood moved acceptance of Miss Temple's services. Motion carried.

Mrs. Sternberg, as Chairman of the Finance Committee, submitted the following report, which was accepted on motion:

You will recall that it was ordered by the Board that the President General, the Treasurer General and the Finance Committee should meet the auditor. This meeting was arranged for the morning following the April session of the National Board. The auditor had suggestions whereby he thought he could simplify our business methods and perhaps save the organization some money. After much discussion and many questions the auditor was asked to give the matter careful thought and if he felt sure practical results can be achieved by other methods than those now in use we would be glad to hear from him. The Finance Committee met on May 12, at 10 a. m., nearly all the members being present, and many subjects were discussed and the contract let to the official photographer. It was given to Mr. Buck. His proposition was 20 per cent on all sales to be given to the Organization. A proposition was submitted from a publicity bureau. They guaranteed increase of membership and interest in the Society through the medium of sending carefully selected matter to the press. He named a price (\$1,800). In the discussion which followed the opinion seemed general that the work of publicity should be put into the hands of the Magazine Committee. It was moved to lay the publicity offer on the table. The Treasurer General reported that the five bonds ordered paid by the Congress had been paid, that at that date there was \$11,900 in the treasury and she thought it would be advisable to take up another five thousand dollar bond which would fall due in June. She informed us there would still remain in the treasury enough funds to pay the interest on our debt and other current expenses. A motion was made and carried instructing the Treasurer to pay the five thousand dollar bond. The Treasurer General then stated that three of the clerks in the Recording Secretary General's office are bonded at present for \$10 a year but that Le Roy Mark, the firm that bonded the Treasurer General, had offered to bond these clerks for \$5 a year. It was moved that these clerks be bonded by Le Roy Mark. At the suggestion of the President General the Finance Committee took a recess to meet the Chairman and members of the Buildings and Grounds Committee. The following morning the committee met the greater number of the House and Grounds Committee. I have full and interesting minutes of these meetings but

time does not permit that I make a more lengthy report.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. STERNBERG,
Chairman.

Mrs. Sternberg submitted the recommendations of the auditor, which he had discussed before the Board at the morning session.

The first recommendation, regarding change of date of Board meeting, was discussed by Mrs. Kite, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. Guernsey, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Perley, Mrs. Van Langingham. Mrs. Brumbaugh moved: That it be left to the President General to call the meetings. Mrs. Guernsey moved that this take effect after the October meeting. Carried, with amendment.

The second recommendation: That the assets and liabilities be placed on the books, etc., was adopted on motion by Mrs. Guernsey.

The third recommendation: That a suspense account be opened, etc., was adopted on motion.

The fourth recommendation regarding provision for different receipt blanks, for chapters, members-at-large, and for general use, was adopted on motion.

The fifth recommendation: That loose leaf ledgers be adopted in the Treasurer General's office for chapter accounts, was adopted on motion.

The sixth recommendation, regarding a more appropriate voucher for payment of bills, was referred to the Finance Committee, on motion by Mrs. Guernsey.

The seventh recommendation: That a standard book be devised to take care of chapter accounts, and ordered used by chapter treasurers, was carried on motion.

Consideration of the eighth recommendation: That the Board assume responsibility for the sufficiency of the present check on receipts of the Society, was, on motion by Mrs. Guernsey, postponed until the October Board meeting.

Mrs. Kite moved the adoption of the report of the Chairman of the Finance Committee. Motion carried.

Mrs. Barnes moved that the courtesy of the house be extended to the former President General, Mrs. Scott, in providing her with a copy of the printer's proof of the proceedings of the Twenty-second Congress. Seconded by Mrs. Bassett and carried.

The President General called attention to the provision of the will of Mr. Hugh Washington, that half of his estate should go to the D. A. R. on death of his sister, Mrs. Bellamy, and stated that the D. A. R. had been called on to assume some share of the expense of defending a claim made against the will, and as she understood this was not a proper expense against a beneficiary under a will she requested authority to obtain legal advice and take proper steps for the protection of the Society.

Mrs. Richardson moved that the President General be empowered to protect the rights of the Organization in the Washington will. Seconded by Mrs. Augsburg, and carried.

The President General stated that she had some data regarding the Mary Ball portrait

on the certificates, that as the authenticity of the portrait had been questioned, and the data would involve lengthy consideration, the matter might be referred to the committee on ordering new certificates. She suggested that until a decision was reached, the portrait should be labeled, in small letters, underneath, "Supposed portrait of Mary Ball." A motion to this effect was duly carried.

Mrs. Buel moved: That the President General be requested and authorized to appoint all necessary committees. Seconded by Mrs. Richardson and carried.

The President General read a petition for funds for the Old Trails road. Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Bassett spoke in its favor; and Mrs. Hamilton moved: That the Old Trails petition be referred to the Finance Committee with power to act, with co-operation of the Historian General. Seconded and carried.

On application by a local chapter for authorization to hold property, the President General ruled that the chapter be required to incorporate, which would carry the desired authority.

The President General called attention to the pin designed by Caldwell, for Chapter Regents, on which the committee would report at the next Board meeting. She asked whether any action had ever been taken regarding a pin for the President General, and Mrs. Bassett moved: That the President General be empowered to appoint a committee to pass upon a suitable badge of office for President Generals and that this badge be given to all living ex-Presidents General. Seconded by Mrs. Hogan, and carried.

The President General, desiring to bear the expense of her own pin, this point was discussed by Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Buel, Mrs. Van Landingham, Mrs. Sternberg, Mrs. Boyle, several suggestions being offered that the expense be borne by the Society. On request of the President General the motion offered by Mrs. Thayer, and seconded by Mrs. Bassett, omitted any reference to this point; moved: That the President General appoint a committee to secure designs for an insignia for President Generals, to report to the October Board meeting. Motion carried.

The President General presented a request by the Molly Pitcher Chanter for the renewal of the privilege of selling flowers. This was granted on motion.

The application of the Norfolk people for the lunch contract was referred to the Committee on House and Grounds for action, on motion.

The President General referred to the nu-

merous protests against the action of the Congress on the matter of the Army canteen. After discussion by Mrs. Hogan and others, Mrs. Foster moved: That it is the judgment of this Board that in future such dividing topics as the question of the canteen, all religious or political or suffrage measures be avoided. Seconded by Mrs. Van Landingham and carried.

The question of salary of the President General's secretary was discussed by Mrs. Bassett, and Mrs. Brumbaugh, the President General asking that it be fixed at some certain sum, so that when traveling about she could know the limit to be placed on clerical hire. Mrs. Bassett moved: That the President General be empowered to engage clerical service for the necessary work of her office at the usual charge paid according to recommendation of the Finance Committee for the same service. Seconded by Mrs. Hogan and carried.

The President General presented an application by the Sons of the American Revolution for the use of the Hall for their next conference. Discussed by Mrs. Hogan and Mrs. Lawrence. Mrs. Hogan moved: That all patriotic societies be allowed the use of our auditorium under the usual conditions. Seconded by Mrs. Brumbaugh and carried.

Mrs. Buel asked instructions for the Revolutionary Relics Committee regarding offers of articles for purchase by the Society, and Mrs. Lockwood stated there was no fund for such purchases.

Mrs. Boyle presented a recommendation by Mrs. Smallwood, which had been adopted at the meeting of Continental Hall Committee. That every member be asked to give one dollar and a half, this plan in no way to interfere with the Block system of a penny a day, which is in active working order.

Discussed by Mrs. Lawrence, against, and Mrs. Lockwood and Mrs. Hall for, the measure. The President General said the success of any scheme for raising money depended on the good will of the people, and she hoped any action taken would be productive of good feeling among the members. The measure was further discussed by Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Boyle, Mrs. Brumbaugh, Mrs. Van Landingham. Mrs. Augsbury moved: That we postpone discussion of the dollar and a half plan of liquidating debt until October. Seconded by Mrs. Van Landingham and carried.

After the Recording Secretary had read the motions passed at this Board meeting, they were approved on motion by Mrs. Hall.

Adjournment taken at 7.30 on motion.

The Annis Stockton Chapter, Palmyra, N. J., has quite a charming feature in "Our Flag's Career," a one-act play for children, by Margaret McLellan Williams, a member of the Chapter. There are twenty-six speaking parts, thirteen boys and thirteen girls, and besides a good story, the play has flag drills, marches and patriotic songs. It can be played on any stage or platform and is but a little over an hour long.

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